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AXIS AIR BASES AND ARMS DEPOTS IN LATIN AMERICA, HOUSE BODY SAYS

Draft Compromise Sets Minimum at 20; Bill Goes to Roosevelt

Registration To Be Required of All Men From 18 Through 64; Other Changes Are Made

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Congress cleared the way today for a 4,000,000-man Army by approving and sending to President Roosevelt legislation requiring the registration of all men from 18 to 64 years old, inclusive, and making those from 20 to 44, inclusive, subject to military service.

Full General Rank Bestowed On MacArthur

Only Pershing Had Held Status as Wartime Field Commander.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—(AP)—A grateful nation today conferred the rank of full general on Douglas MacArthur, 61-year-old once-retired soldier who has conducted a gallant and adroit defense of the Philippines with slender military resources.

President Roosevelt sent to the senate a recommendation for promotion of MacArthur from lieutenant-general to the rank which has been held by only one other American field commander in wartime, General John J. Pershing, leader of the World War A. E. F.

Casting aside customary routine, the senate unanimously confirmed the nomination a few hours later.

The son of a soldier (his father was Lieutenant General Arthur MacArthur and he was born at Little Rock, Ark., Army post), MacArthur was graduated from West Point in 1903 with the Academy's best scholastic record in 25 years.

He commanded an Army division in France in 1917-18, but his military career seemed to have reached a climax with service from 1930-35 as Chief of Staff.

In the latter post, it was his unhappy duty to chase the bonus marchers out of Washington during President Hoover's administration. He did that job with a characteristic thoroughness which brought considerable criticism, but when he retired in 1937 President Roosevelt told him, "your record in war and peace is a brilliant chapter in American history."

That was a sentence with which to close the book, but retirement was not for MacArthur. President Quezon of the newly formed Philippine commonwealth asked him to organize defense forces for the islands.

MacArthur was busy at that job

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Life of Our Lord by Charles Dickens

Written for his children in 1846-49 and held a family secret for nearly a century.

Judas Iscariot's confession of treachery—Jesus before Governor Pontius Pilate—An account of the last days.

CHAPTER THE TENTH.

After a short time, Peter and another disciple took heart and secretly followed the guard to the house of Caiaphas the high priest, whither Jesus was taken, and where the Scribes and others were assembled to question Him. Peter stood at the door, but the other disciple, who was known to the high priest, went in and, presently returning, asked the woman, who kept the door, to admit Peter, too. She, looking at him, said, "Are you not one of the disciples?" He answered that he had taught them in the open streets, and that the priests should ask the people what they had learned of Him. One of the officers struck Jesus with his hand.

Some of these men asked him



WHERE BATTLE BOILS—The city of Victoria nestles at the foot of Victoria peak, where stout-hearted British troops on Hongkong are believed holding out against

overwhelming numbers of Japanese. Axis sources claimed yesterday that the invaders had occupied the city, the British withdrawing to peak fortifications.

New Pipeline Dedicated at Chattahoochee

Another Petroleum Shortage Predicted on Atlantic Coast.

A new petroleum shortage along the Atlantic coast as a result of the transfer of Atlantic oil tankers to the Pacific war zone was predicted yesterday by Representative William P. Cole Jr., of Maryland, as the new 456-mile Southeastern Pipeline was dedicated at Chattahoochee, nine miles from Atlanta.

Cole said he regretted that recent efforts to extend additional lines into the east had been rejected.

"I see ahead with such certainty," he said, "that I am willing to speculate upon the early use in the Pacific of tankers moved from the Atlantic services in numbers greater than those recently returned by the British, thereby predicting a similar result to that of a few months ago, and showing a real demand for additional transportation facilities in the eastern part of the United States."

Cole, the author of a bill by which congress granted pipeline companies the right to condemn private property for projects deemed by the President as vital to national defense, spoke in an open air ceremony to some 800 public and business officials of Georgia, Florida and Tennessee.

The pipeline, the first in this strategic area, runs from Port St. Joe, Fla., through Georgia to Chattanooga, Tenn., with terminals and distribution facilities at Bainbridge, Albany, Americus, Macon, Griffin, Atlanta and Chattanooga.

Howard Marshall, of Washington, chief counsel for the Office of Petroleum-Coordination, described the line as "one of the main arteries through which courses the life blood of modern war."

Three military posts, Fort Ben-

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Shopping Days
till Christmas

2 More Opportunity Groups Are Adopted

Constitution Typographers, Salvation Army 'Mile of Dimes' To Provide Funds for Deserving Families

By FRANK DRAKE.

The Salvation Army's "Mile of Dimes," and the members of The Atlanta Constitution Chapel of the Atlanta Typographical Union No. 48 yesterday came to the rescue of two of the city's neediest families—giving to help rehabilitate people just as worthwhile as you or me.

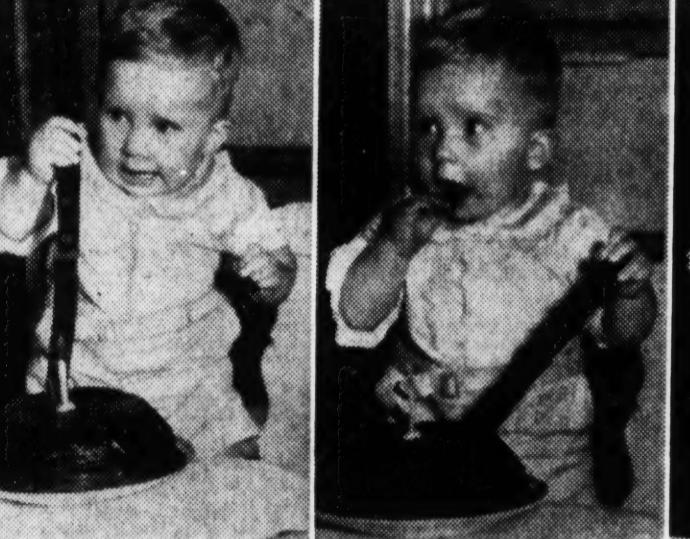
The typographical union men donated \$200 to help Opportunity Family No. 11 (Mr. and Mrs. C. and their daughter, who is 11), while the Salvation Army's "Mile of Dimes" "adopted" Opportunity Family No. 12 (a widow with two daughters), and assured this mother and her girls of \$20 a month to help them while Jane, the oldest daughter, finishes high school this year and gets a job.

But there is still much to be done for the poor families of Atlanta. Opportunities No. 2, 3, 4, 5 and others haven't been "adopted" yet. They are men and women, set back to poverty by adversities but who can be saved to be wage-earners and producers. Don't forget them this Christmas, Atlantans. Send a contribution to Hugh H. Trott, vice president and business manager of The Constitution, who is treasurer of the Opportunity Fund. Every cent you give will help a down but not out family!

And when you see the Salvation Army's "Mile of Dimes" along the busy thoroughfares of the city this Christmas season—don't forget to stick a few dimes in those little holes. The money you give the patient, kind, uniformed Salvation Army men and women will buy cheer Christmas day for hundreds and it will help rehabilitate good people, too.

Many Atlantans who read The Constitution could push several dimes in the slot between now and Christmas, and never miss them. "Keep the pot a-boiling" and you'll help make Christmas merry for poor mothers and fathers and children here; you'll help rehabilitate Atlanta families, and you'll be helping soldiers and sailors and all others who might

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YUM-YUM-YUMMY!—They say you can't eat your cake and have it, too, but lively little Johnnie Crowe, celebrating his first birthday at Audubon, N. J., apparently hasn't heard about that yet. So he proceeds to tackle a tasty chocolate-frosted cake, eats a portion, and, yet, has it, too—all over his beaming little face.

Services Here To Stress Need For Freedoms

Christmas Prayers To Ask Strength To Pro- tect Democracy.

By HAROLD MARTIN.

In all Atlanta churches tomorrow a people who prayed for peace for years will pray at last for the strength to fight more fiercely than man has ever fought before.

In a world where few church doors may open now, and where few prayers may rise except in secret, they will plead for the strength to strike, to endure, and not to yield until victory has been won.

They stand before Armageddon without fear, sure in the faith that righteousness will be their shield, and justice their triumphant sword.

They know they fight for all those things men hold most dear, which in other lands have been destroyed.

For freedom to worship as they please. For freedom to write and speak, and think, as their own hearts dictate. For the right to teach their children honor, tolerance, and the pity for the weak that the Prince of Peace Himself taught. In short, for the American way of life.

For the right to live their life

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Thousands of Enemy Agents Are Active in Southern Continent

Committee Bases Report on First- Hand Air Survey of 16 Latin- American Nations.

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—In a startling report on Axis espionage and propaganda in Latin America, a house committee asserted today that thousands of German, Italian and Japanese agents are active there and have established air bases, arms depots and jungle radio stations.

The committee, a special aircraft investigating group headed by Representative Nichols, Democrat, Oklahoma, based its report on a first-hand air survey of 16 Latin-American nations which covered 21,000 miles.

As a major step toward combatting these activities, the committee urged that the State Department speedily complete negotiations to supplant German and Italian commercial air lines in Latin America with American companies.

Nichols said if these negotiations were not quickly concluded he would discuss the question on the house floor in an effort to bring the matter to a head.

Many On Alert.

The report declared that while many thoughtful Latin Americans were on the alert to recognize and counteract Nazi, Fascist, and Falangist influence, the "subversive forces are strong, and their continuance has a very direct and harmful effect upon inter-American aviation."

Saying their information came from "authoritative sources," the committee dealt at length with spy and propaganda activity in seven countries—Argentina, Peru, Chile, Mexico, Colombia, Guatemala, and Brazil.

As for Argentina, the report said there were 2,200 German Gestapo agents operating in Buenos Aires alone and there was no reason to believe that a large contingent of storm troopers had been organized and that secret drilling is now in progress."

56 Districts.

The city of more than 2,000,000, the report added, had been divided into 56 districts, with ten cells in each district, all of which are carefully policed and supervised by the Nazi organization.

The Germany embassy in Buenos Aires, it said, operates its own printing plant and only recently it printed the speeches delivered by a United States senator and by Charles A. Lindbergh, compiled these speeches in a green brochure, and gave them wide distribution in Argentina to impress people there with the fact that disunity exists in the United States.

It said there were 90,000 active Nazis operating in Buenos Aires, that they had infiltrated into trade unions and charitable organizations, and there was reason to believe they had perfect plans to sabotage utilities. In a crisis, they probably could establish an operating base there, it added.

Regarding Peru, the report said there were 22,000 registered Nazis in Lima and that the actual number probably exceeds 30,000; that the Nazis are "very active" in the country, and that two Lima newspapers, El Comercio and La Prensa, appear to have "definite Fascist leanings."

Troopers Drill.

Chile: There is reason to believe that storm troopers are drilling in Chile. The very best diplomats from Germany, Spain and Italy are now co-ordinating their activities in Chile in order to break down the cordial relations.

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Continued Fair Outlook For Atlanta Area Today

Continued fair with milder temperatures is the promise of Glen Jefferson, official weather forecaster, for today.

Temperatures will range between a low of 45 and a high of 65, he predicted.

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Echo of Brave Past In the News Report

VALLEY FORGE, Pa., Dec. 19.

(AP)—George Washington's Continental Army marched into Valley

Forge 164 years ago today.

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Nazi Division Trapped, Wiped Out to Last Man, Reds Report

Soviet Forces Storm, Regain Several Towns

German Casualties Placed at 37,000 During 10 Days of Fighting.

MOSCOW, Saturday, Dec. 20.—(P)—Red armies pursuing retreating Germans through the snows of the Moscow front have wiped out Adolf Hitler's 134th division to the last man and in 10 days of fighting preceding this action killed and wounded 22,000 other Nazis, the Russians announced today.

This would represent a total of 37,000 Germans killed, wounded or captured in the latest successes reported by the Russians, since a German division normally has 15,000 men.

A special announcement broadcast by the Moscow radio told of the enormous casualties inflicted upon the backtracking Nazis between December 7 and 17. The regular midnight communiqué reported destruction of the 134th division in a trap west of Moscow and the recapture of numerous villages and towns there and on the northwest and southwest.

German losses in equipment equalled their casualties, the special announcement said, listing 319 tanks, more than 3,700 trucks and huge quantities of other motorized equipment, and guns destroyed in the 10-day period.

The Germans were declared encircled by Soviet forces which drove west and southwest of Moscow, took by storm the town of Ruzza, 60 miles due west of the capital, and cut west of the important rail junction of Kaluga, 90 miles southwest, taking several villages. Tarussa, 65 miles south of Moscow and 40 miles northeast of Kaluga and the town of Kanino southeast of Kaluga also were reported captured.

The general of the 134th Nazi division was killed, the communiqué said.

"Not a German escaped," a communiqué said.

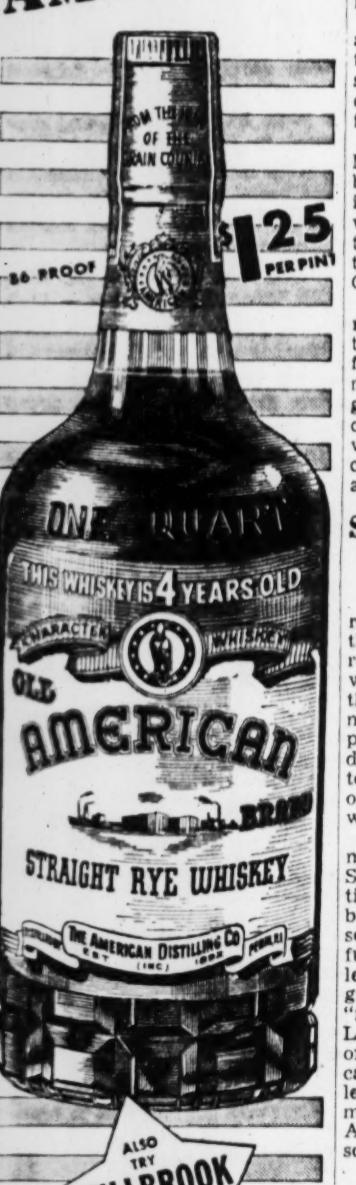
Desperate Fight.

The Russians said seven Nazi divisions of perhaps 105,000 men had put up desperate resistance south of Ruzza but that Red forces got the upper hand in one mighty assault after another.

Kaluga is an important rail junction on the line running south to Briansk and Kiev. It was here that the Germans had concentrated one of their strongest forces in their now thwarted drive upon Moscow. Moreover, German troops retreating from Tula had fallen back toward Kaluga, now partly encircled.

(German official radio broadcasts admitted the Russians had penetrated Nazi eastern defenses at some points, but contended they were quickly dislodged by counterattacks. DNB, the German news agency, admitted

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Senate Passes E. A. L. To Buy \$550,000,000 Housing Bill During 1942

\$48,000,000 Will Go for Relief of Philippines.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—(P)—The senate approved and sent to the White House today a \$550,000,000 appropriations bill containing \$450,000,000 for defense housing and community facilities as well as approximately \$48,000,000 for relief and civilian defense of the Philippines.

Included also was \$35,000,000 to stock the Hawaiian islands with food supplies and \$15,000,000 for civilian defense and relief work in Alaska, the Virgin Islands and Puerto Rico.

This bill would make \$36,608,000 in Philippine sugar taxes collected up to September 30, plus collections since that date, available along with \$10,000,000 already sent to the island government by the President, for defense and relief work there.

that the Russian pressure was unrelenting all along the line.)

Reds Open Drive Against Finns.

LONDON, Saturday, Dec. 20.—(P)—The Russians have opened a major offensive along the entire Finnish front, taking advantage of weakened opposition caused by the German army's withdrawal of three-fifths of its troops. It originally deployed there, British reports said today.

"Dense waves" of Russian cavalry and ski troops were reported thrown into the assault with the support of guns and tanks especially designed for rigorous warfare on this frozen front.

A Stockholm dispatch to the News-Chronicle said Finnish lines buckling under the impact of the initial Soviet thrusts had been withdrawn to the north bank of the Svir river at some points between Lake Ladoga and Lake Onega.

Other dispatches said the Germans left the Finns ill-prepared to meet the slashing Red army offensive and that the Nazis remaining there "are feeling the anger which has reinforced Finnish contempt as the Finns realize to what extent the German high command has been using them as a puppet power."

Saving of Waste Paper Urged by Toccoa Lions

Special to THE CONSTITUTION.

TOCCOA, Ga., Dec. 19.—At the regular meeting held this week, the Lions Club passed a resolution urging the saving of all waste paper and cardboard for the War Department. The Department is urgently in need of waste paper and cardboard for national defense and all citizens are urged to save their supply until a means of collecting it is established, it was pointed out.

A report was also given at the meeting by Secretary Corbin Smith, on recently adopted resolutions asking congressional members from Georgia to act to have some of the \$28,000,000 in NYA funds recently impounded released. Letters from Georgia congressmen and senators promised "immediate recognition" of the Lions Club's request, growing out of predictions of vast cuts in educational programs in Georgia, unless the funds impounded are made available through next April, as originally planned by schools involved.

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Labor Parley Is Stalemated On Strike Ban

Union Shop Issue Said Chief Stumbling Block.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—(P)—President Roosevelt did not get the thrill tonight that he had asked his war labor conference to give him, for the industry and worker representatives broke off their discussions temporarily without working out a formula insuring no strikes during the war.

And, as it had been in numerous recent labor disputes, the union shop issue was said to be the chief stumbling block to reaching an agreement. The negotiations will be resumed Monday, however, and William H. Davis, the conference moderator, expressed hope that would yet be successful.

Davis gave official credence to reports seeping out of the conference all day that the union and management officials had not found a workable solution for handling future union shop demands. He told reporters at the conclusion of the conference that the union shop difficulty had not been removed.

Under a union shop—chief issue in the recently settled captive coal mine dispute—a company's employees must eventually join the union which has a collective bargaining majority in the plant.

The six CIO and six AFL representatives on the conference committee, long at odds on many questions, were said to have agreed that any mediating board which the conference might recommend should be authorized to pass upon the union shop question whenever it arose in wartime disputes. The industrialists were said to be insistent that the union shop question be set aside for the duration, except in instances where such a shop already is in existence or in cases where it could be agreed upon by direct negotiation between employers and unions.

The labor people were reported to favor establishment of a mediation board somewhat similar to that in operation during the first World War.

No debate necessary to prove the value of Constitution Want Ads. Phone WA. 6563.

British Seize Airport at Derna As Rout of Axis Units Continues

CAIRO, Dec. 19.—(P)—Flying spearheads of the British eighth army raced 200 miles deep in the Libyan desert tonight behind fleeing Axis forces in an relentless pursuit which netted the big airport of Derna and threatened to envelop all the coastal highlands on the hump of Cirenaica.

The advance was at such tremendous speed that British general headquarters brushed aside tabulation of captures behind the front lines on the former battlefield of Gazala, and announced:

"All attention at the moment is being concentrated on maintaining relentless pressure upon the retreating enemy."

The flight of the German and Italian fighting forces had ob-

viously forked: One force perhaps preparing a rearguard action at the port of Derna itself, which the enemy still held at last reports; the other plunging southwest through Mekili to try to skirt the coastal highlands and reach Bengasi, main Axis base.

But British tanks were hard on the enemy's heels in both areas of pursuit and ahead of the tanks was a hard-hitting British air-force.

"Our pursuit of the remaining enemy forces toward Derna and also toward and beyond Mekili continued through yesterday," said a communiqué.

"By nightfall the Derna air-drome was in our hands, but enemy troops still were in occupation of Derna itself and also were in the Mekili area.

"Yesterday's bomber effort was the heaviest since operations began. Repeated attacks were made on enemy columns on roads leading to Derna and west of Mekili."

British sources stressed the importance of capture of the Derna airport, about 10 miles southeast of Derna, saying it was on elevated ground from which artillery can command the coastal highway zone.

Disclosure that the British had bombed and destroyed part of an oil tank train near Zuara, western terminus of the railway of Tripoli, made observers think the Axis was getting oil supplies from French Tunisia and sending them east.

Royal Air Force headquarters reported incessant harassment of the westward Axis retreat, relating that much motor transport was smashed and heavy casualties inflicted on Axis troops. Many Axis planes were reported destroyed both in the sky and on the ground. Bengasi again was hit and probably sunk out at sea.

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The Long Distance telephone is already playing a major role in America's all-out war effort. Government Long Distance telephone requirements, both

civilian and military, have stepped up sharply. Industrial plants engaged in defense production, radio networks and news services are relying more and more upon the speedy contacts made possible by the Long Distance telephone—Therefore we urgently appeal to you to help keep Long Distance lines clear, on Christmas and New Year's Day, that we may efficiently serve our Nation, unhampered by calls of a non-essential character.

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2 Doctors Blame Flies for Warm Weather Polio

Flies are the probable reason for infantile paralysis epidemics occurring in warm weather, Doctors Albert B. Sabin and Robert Ward reported yesterday in *Science*, official journal of American scientists, but the report was received with skepticism here by State Epidemiologist Dr. Dan Bowdoin.

Much of the research done by Doctors Sabin and Ward was in Atlanta during the polio epidemic last summer, in which 732 Georgians were stricken. Dr. Bowdoin was in close touch with the researchers then.

The report of Doctors Sabin and Ward, of the University of Cincinnati College of Medicine and the National Foundation of Infantile Paralysis, pointed out that one of the greatest puzzles about polio has been its late summer peaks and the fact the first frost or cold weather brings a sharp drop in cases.

Miami Epidemic. "This may be true in northern climates," Dr. Bowdoin said, "but this does not explain the Miami epidemic beginning in May and being over in July, or our own epidemic which began last June and was over in early September—both long before we had cold weather in the south."

Doctors, since the great New York polio epidemic of 1916, have been attempting to prove the fly is the carrier of the virus. Last October Yale physicians announced flies do carry infantile paralysis infection and the Sabin-Ward report extends the discovery, showing flies were infected with the disease in widely scattered areas of the United States, and that these flies were in neighborhoods where children had infantile paralysis. The places were Connecticut, Alabama, Cleveland and Atlanta.

In Atlanta, polio flies were caught both near the center of the city and the outskirts. Several bushels of flies, of all varieties, were caught in Atlanta, principally in Negro sections where sanitary conditions were poor, Dr. Bowdoin said.

The experiments have proven that flies can carry polio, the report showed, but there has been no indication as to whether the flies are mere mechanical carriers or whether the virus actually multiplies in the fly. Dr. Bowdoin said, "Strongly the public must not consider the finding conclusive until this has been determined. He also pointed out that the type fly that is the alleged carrier has not been isolated.

Dr. J. F. Hackney, city health officer, said Dr. Sabin reported his findings to Atlanta doctors in a speech last week. Dr. Hackney expressed Sabin was on the right track, but said medical value of the discovery would have to be determined after more complete investigation.

Lillian Starr, director of publicity in Georgia for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, said the Foundation was acquainted with the paper and knew it was to be printed, but since it was technical and not written for the lay public, and consequently the Foundation had no releases to make in connection with the report.

York Leaves City After Busy Visit

Sergeant Alvin C. York, the World War hero, left for Chattanooga, Tenn., last night after a busy day in Atlanta which included firing the first shot in the opening of a new rifle range, visiting old Camp Gordon and Veterans' Hospital No. 48, and being entertained at luncheon at the Biltmore hotel.

Speaking at the luncheon, given by members of the rifle range firm, York predicted the end of the war some time in 1943.

"We will win because we are fighting according to the dictates of our own consciences," he told the group of businessmen, ministers and public officials. Prayer, he added, is the greatest weapon Christian forces can use in any war.

Emergency Corps Form By Scouts at Valdosta

Special to THE CONSTITUTION. VALDOSTA, Ga., Dec. 19.—C. J. Lewis, in charge of local Scout leadership training, announces the completion of the emergency service corps of the Boy Scouts, the equipment of which will include a mobile unit.

Those who have accepted responsibility for training the unit include J. Chronister, first aid; T. M. Cook, fire fighting; Tom Shepherd, communications; Harry Garbutt, police work.

Medical examinations for membership in this service will be made by Dr. Joyce Mixson Jr. and Dr. Conrad Williams.

Court Decisions

COURT OF APPEALS OF GEORGIA. On Motions for Rehearing. Royal Indemnity Company et al. vs. American Bond and Guarantee Corporation; from Fulton. Judgment adhered to.

Midway Life Insurance Company vs. Johnson; from DeKalb. Denied.

Quillian, executor, v. Tuck et al.; from Clarke. Denied.

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AWVS Uniform

Atlanta members of the American Women's Volunteer Service yesterday got their first glimpse of the organization's uniform. Here is Mrs. Lucy Benjamin Lemann, field director of the national organization, in full regalia, including the smart musette bag kit on a shoulder strap.

AWVS Attache Visits Atlanta Headquarters

Local Workers See Uniforms, Hear Reports of Training.

Wearing a smart gray uniform that caused a great deal of excitement at headquarters at 16 Auburn avenue, Mrs. Lucy Benjamin Lemann, field representative of the national American Women's Volunteer Service organization, arrived in Atlanta yesterday to tell members of the Atlanta unit how the work is progressing throughout the country.

She said more than 150,000 women are learning motor trans-

port, map reading, first aid, fire-raid protection and dozens of other subjects tied in with national defense.

More than 200 A. W. V. S. organizations are in operation today and others are forming every day, Mrs. Lemann said.

The organization here, under the leadership of Mrs. Trammell Scott, to date has trained approximately 500 women in first aid.

Public service commissioners, including Georgia's Chairman Walter McDonald, urged the league to take no definite stand on the proposed increase.

A. J. Ribe, of Birmingham, pro-

posed the ICC gives carriers a tem-

porary four months' increase if

their case warranted it, and then

allow shippers to present their ar-

guments at another hearing before

the increase is made permanent.

The railroads have asked for a

general 10 per cent increase in

rates to offset wage increases,

which will run to approximately

\$350,000,000. The ICC will hear

the case in Chicago January 5.

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PAVING TO BEGIN.

SANDERSVILLE, Ga., Dec. 19. (AP)—Paving of the Sandersville-Warthen highway, linking state route 15 and U. S. highway 45, will begin early next week.

Those registered at the capitol

will take the 10-week course in

preparedness during their lunch

hours. They are sponsored by

Miss Betty Ward, of the State De-

partment of Health.

The entire group will be fin-

gered Monday and Tuesday,

and will hear their first formal

lecture Tuesday, when Mrs. Flora

Wright, former London air-raid

warden, addresses them.

SCHOOL CHECKS.

VIDALIA, Ga., Dec. 19.—L. M.

McLemore, treasurer of the local

board of education, handled the

members of the Vidalia faculty

checks to pay all salaries due

through 1941 at the close of Fri-

day's session of school. The spring

term will open on December 31,

it was announced by Carl Lan-

caster, superintendent of the Vid-

alia system.

U. S. To Launch Two Warships At Charleston

Sleek, 1,700-Ton Destroyers Will Slide Down Ways Today.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Dec. 19. (AP)—Two sleek warships, side by side in the building ways at the Charleston Navy Yard, will slide down the ways tomorrow in the first dual launching of destroyers

in the south.

The new 1,700-ton destroyers, the Tillman and the Beatty, will be the fourth and fifth destroyers launched at the Charleston yard this year. Two more destroyers are now in advanced construction.

Josephus Daniels, of Raleigh, N. C., former Secretary of the Navy, and Rear Admiral William H. Allen, commandant of the Sixth and Seventh Naval districts and of the Charleston Navy Yard, will speak at the ceremony.

The new 1,700-ton ships

Alberto di Guisano and Alberico

da Barbiano, launched in 1930.

All of the 1,200 sailors aboard

the two cruisers were said to have

lost their lives. The other casu-

alties mainly were aboard the

transports.

The British admiralty an-

nounced last Saturday the ap-

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British Sink Six Italian Ships; 5,000 Drowned, 1,000 Rescued

TUNIS, French Tunisia, Dec. 15.—(Delayed)—(AP)—Five thou-

sand Italian seamen and troops apparently en route to Libya were drowned December 12 when British naval units sank two Italian cruisers, a destroyer and three transports in a fierce night fight

off Cape Bon on the Tunisian coast.

Approximately 1,000 Italians suffering from severe burns, exposure and other injuries were

rescued. They are being treated

here and at Kelibia, Menzel, Te-

mine and other towns along the

coast.

A submarine attack apparently

preceded the main engagement,

then the British destroyers, Sikh,

Legion and Maori, and the Dutch

Isaac Sweers raced in to finish

the heavier armed Italian convoy

with a storm of shell and torpedo fire.

One of the cruisers was seen to

blow up, and another was left

blazing from stem to stern, the admiral said. Three torpedo

hits on a third was reported by

the submarine command.

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Lisbon Denies Threat of Jap Blow at Timor

Situation Is Not Settled Yet. Premier Tells Parliament.

LISBON, Dec. 19.—(P)—Premier Antonio de Oliveira Salazar told his parliament and people today that Australian and Dutch troops "invaded" Portuguese Timor without the threat of a Japanese attack, and while mutual defense discussions were under way.

Although this speech had been forecast as one of Salazar's most important statements, he gave no hint of drastic change in Portuguese policy as a result of the occupation.

"The situation is not settled yet," he said, "and discussions still are going on. I shall discuss later the further developments."

Australian and Dutch forces have occupied the Portuguese part of the Far Eastern island to anticipate any Japanese action in Timor.

Salazar said the first suggestions for collaboration on defense were made on November 1.

Portugal agreed to study cooperation with British troops in defense of Timor in case it was attacked and, according to the terms of the (British) alliance," he told the national assembly which had been called into extraordinary session to hear his statement.

"We would also have accepted the co-operation of Dutch troops under the command of the British general staff, but exclusively in case of attack."

ITALIAN PAPER WARNS PORTUGAL

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—(P)—A BBC broadcast quoted the Italian newspaper Il Lavoro Fascista, today as warning Portugal she "must not forget that strong German forces stand on the Pyrenees and that tension is rising in the area of the Atlantic Ocean."

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Emulate Pearl Harbor Heroes, Knox Tells Graduating Middies

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 19.—(P)—A new name—Pearl Harbor—was added to the United States' "Rosary of Memory" today by Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox.

Speaking before the 574 graduating midshipmen at the U. S. Naval Academy, Knox said "there are names which are fragrant in our memories whenever we think of American courage and American fighting spirit. Valley Forge and Belleau Wood, Bunker Hill and Mobile Bay, Gettysburg and Chateau Thierry.

"Today we have a new pearl to add to the Rosary of Memory: Pearl Harbor."

The Secretary told the second class to graduate this year under the Academy's new accelerated course:

"You are going out into active service at a time when all that you have learned here will be put to the test—the supreme test

of war. Millions of young men would like to be in your place.

"When the day of battle comes—and for most of you it will in all possibility come soon—you must be fit and ready. Your comrades at Pearl Harbor have shown that they were physically ready when their hour of trial arrived.

"It will be your task to emulate their achievements. And it will not be an easy task. When the full story is told, Pearl Harbor will be permanently enshrined in our national traditions as an example of heroism and devotion to duty."

When Midshipman Isaac C. Kidd Jr., of Long Beach, Calif., stepped to the rostrum for his diploma, Knox whispered words of encouragement to him. Kidd's father, a rear admiral, was killed in action at Pearl Harbor December 7.

Proud parents, relatives and

friends of graduates in packed Dahlgren Hall, gave the graduating class a thunderous ovation after graduates hurled their white caps high into the air.

Before caps were tossed, the entire regiment—the largest in Academy history—gave the traditional three cheers for "those about to leave us." Graduates, in full dress blues, responded with three cheers for "those we leave behind us."

Commissioners later were conferred upon 519 graduates, 495 becoming ensigns in the Navy and 24 second lieutenants in the Marine Corps. Twenty-six graduates were honorably discharged but some may be commissioned ensigns in the naval reserve later.

The new officers went on leave and will report for active duty later. Christmas leave for the regiment begins tomorrow, and ends January 3.

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Atlantans Start Fund for Baby Of Heroic Pilot

Bonds To Be Purchased for Daughter Maret Never Saw.

Little Amy Janice Maret, 17 days old today, will never know her father.

He was killed leading a squadron of American fliers in an assault on invader naval transports attempting to land troops on the coast of Luzon—and he died without knowing that his little girl has arrived in a Texas hospital. But old friends and neighbors of 26-year-old Lieutenant Samuel Hines Maret, who formerly lived in Apartment 2, 1543 Peachtree street, are making a down payment to the little girl on the debt of gratitude which they feel the American people owe her for the loss of her father. And they are saying a difficult thing in the only tangible fashion they know—getting up a fund to buy defense bonds to be given to her.

Shortly after The Constitution reached breakfast tables yesterday two Atlantans, who read of Lieutenant Maret's death, came up to The Constitution office with cash contributions which they want to send his little girl. Charles Wilkins gave a dollar and another person, who asked that his name be withheld, gave another.

The Constitution did not start the fund and is not asking for contributions. But if there are other Atlantans, who feel as those two that they want to present defense bonds to little Amy Janice Maret, The Constitution will receive the contributions and transmit them to the baby girl and her mother in New Braunfels, Texas.

Installment Data Deadline Is Near

W. S. McLarin Jr., of the Federal Reserve Bank, yesterday warned approximately 8,000 firms in the sixth federal district that registration statements on installment lending and selling must be filed by December 31.

Failure to file by date will render such firms liable to penalties imposed for operation without a license, McLarin said. The licenses are being issued without charge upon receipt of the registration statement from the applicants.

Concerns in the district engaged in selling certain consumer durable goods on the installment plan or in making loans to customers repayable in installments may obtain registration blanks at the Federal Reserve Bank in Atlanta or its branches, McLarin said.

School Children Begins Holidays

Pupils in the Fulton county and Atlanta public school systems yesterday began the shortest Christmas vacation period in many years.

For the city schools, the holidays began at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. They began for the county schools at the end of yesterday's regular classes. Both systems will reopen December 29, and the city school children, but not those in the county schools, will have New Year's Day off.

County School Superintendent Jere A. Wells said the one week vacation instead of the usual two was due to time lost at the beginning of the fall term because of the polio epidemic.

Board Approves 14 Road Projects

Contracts for 14 highway construction projects, totaling \$1,320,752, were approved yesterday by the State Highway Board.

One of these provides for the paving of Scott boulevards cut-off from Ponce de Leon avenue between Atlanta and Decatur, to the Lawrenceville road two miles beyond Decatur. An underpass will be constructed under Clairmont road. This cut-off will shorten the distance between Atlanta and Lawrenceville, Winder and Athens.

Counties involved in the contracts were Carroll, DeKalb, Evans, Lowndes, Newton, Screven, Talbot, Thomas, and Wilkinson. Three of the projects are in Screven and two in Talbot.

Jaycees To Give Annual Yule Party Tomorrow

Annual Junior Chamber of Commerce Christmas party for underprivileged children will be held at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. "The Happy Hour," a Columbia Pictures Christmas short, and a Mickey Mouse short by R. K. O., will be shown with the Union Operators' Local 225 supplying operators and equipment. Gifts will be distributed after the movie program. Gus King is in charge of arrangements.

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DEDICATE PIPE LINE—The 456-mile Southeastern Pipe Line, first in this section, was dedicated at Chattahoochee yesterday. Shown taking an official turn at valve is Representative William P. Cole Jr., of Maryland, principal speaker at the ceremony, Captain Eddie Rickenbacker, president of Eastern Air Lines, and Alva Myers.



SILENT SENTINEL—Members of the State Defense Corps stood silent watch over the grounds where the dedication of the pipe line was held yesterday. Some 800 business men, public officials from the southeast and from New York, Washington and Chicago gathered for the ceremonies, which struck a patriotic and defense note.

New Pipeline Dedicated at Chattahoochee

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ning, at Columbus, Fort McPherson, and Fort Oglethorpe, at Chattanooga, are served by the pipe line, it was pointed out.

A. Steve Clay, grandson of Georgia's one-time Senator Steve Clay, presided as a stone marker for the line was unveiled and dedicated. Miss Minnie Hecker, Atlanta singer, led the group in singing "The Star-Spangled Banner" at the close of the program.

Senator George Absent.

Senator Walter E. George, originally scheduled to speak at the dedication, could not be present because of official duties, but wired his congratulations, declaring the line is a "great defense project." Later in the afternoon he spoke two minutes over the Columbia Broadcasting System from Washington in connection with the dedication.

Those present for the program included Captain Eddie Rickenbacker, president of Eastern Air Lines; Samuel Pettingill, former congressman from Indiana; Edward A. Kelly, congressman from Illinois; Pehr G. Holmes, congressman from Massachusetts; Elton J. Layton, clerk of the committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, in Washington, and many petroleum company and airline representatives from Chicago and New York in addition to Georgia officials.

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for this reply; and two false witnesses coming in said they had heard Him say that He could destroy the Temple of God and build it again in three days. Jesus answered little; but the Scribes and priests agreed that He was guilty of blasphemy and should be put to death; and they spat upon and beat Him.

When Judas Iscariot saw that his Master was indeed condemned, he was so full of horror for what he had done that he took the 30 pieces of silver back to the chief priests and said, "I have betrayed innocent blood! I cannot keep it!" With those words, he threw the money down upon the floor and rushing away, wild with despair, hanged himself. The people, weak with grief, broke with the weight of his body, and it fell down on the ground. After death, all bruised and burst—a dreadful sight to see! The chief priests, not knowing what to do with the 30 pieces of silver, bought a burying-place for strangers with it, the proper name of which was the Potters' Field. But the people called it the Field of Blood, ever afterwards.

Jesus was taken from the high priests to the judgment hall where Pontius Pilate, the Governor, sat, to administer justice. Pilate (who was not a Jew) said to Him: "Your own nation, the Jews, and your own priests have delivered you to me. What have you done? Finding that He had done no harm, Pilate went out and, in danger of being put to death,

Pilate finding the people so determined against Jesus, delivered Him to the soldiers to be scourged—*that is, beaten. They plaited a*

Aid Provided For Two More Opportunities

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Continued help on the whole world front!

Slip a dime to the "Mile of Dimes" and see it grow, every day!

The men who set the type for this newspaper are very modest about their contribution to the Opportunity families. They "adopted" one last Christmas, and saw it through to independence, and helped another family on its way, too.

They are "adopting" another family this Christmas. But they don't want their names mentioned.

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"Must"

President Roosevelt, in speaking to the group of business, organized labor and government representatives who are seeking a means of insuring no interruption, by strikes, of armament production during the war, said their duty was "must" and added the word is one "which none of us like—and I don't either."

It is, as the President said, a disagreeable word. For it is the word of compulsion, the word that is the antithesis of freedom of decision, freedom of action. It is the word that no man cares to hear applied to his own actions.

Yet there are some things in life which none can avoid, nor which we would avoid if we could.

Today the great national "must" for all of us, is to do our full part to achieve quickest possible victory over the enemy Axis powers. That comes before everything. Before, even, life itself.

Colin Kelly, and Hines Maret of Atlanta, were motivated by their acceptance of such a "must" when they dived their planes to almost certain death against Japanese ships, thereby sent to the bottom of the Pacific.

It is the same "must" that makes it impossible for any of us to hesitate, to make excuses, to fear hard work when we are called upon for additional duties in the line of war or defense service.

And it is the same "must" that will, inexorably, brand the word "traitor" upon the brow of any man, industrialist or labor leader, who does anything to interrupt, by one hour, the work of the war factories.

There can no longer be any explanation, any possible excuse for interruption of work in these factories. Rate of pay, conditions of work, recognition of union are matters that no longer weigh in the scales of importance. Americans all, we stand ready to give everything to the one cause.

If that everything includes loss of property, elimination of profits, sacrifice of pay, abandonment, for the emergency, of a cause we would otherwise consider essential, it matters nothing.

We are at war. That fact imposes upon us all a "must" so dominant that we can only bow in complete acceptance and enlist, in whatever capacity we can best fill, for the duration.

The whole nation is drafted. For a war worker to lay down his tools—for any cause—would be comparable only to a soldier who laid down his gun.

We don't like the word.

But we live under "must" conditions, today.

REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR—

Naturally, the Rose Bowl game is out, as we wouldn't care to have some safety man, during an air raid, signal for a fair catch of what he thought was a football.

REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR—

Not Entirely Asleep

The pictures tell part of the story. The Army wasn't caught entirely napping at Hickman field near Pearl Harbor. Planes weren't in the air, but from what pictures have come through the censorship it is evident they were dispersed around the field to minimize damage.

Had the Army been completely asleep, the planes would have been in the hangars and there would have been few planes to fly or to repair.

But if they were dispersed, then the assumption must be the attack was expected and someone bobbed badly in not being fully on the alert. Flaming heroism cannot wipe out the apparent laxity of the high command, and the fact the President has appointed a strong board of inquiry should be assurance there will be no white-washing.

Out of this first debacle should come a strengthening of the direction of the forces.

REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR—

The "greatest victory in military history,"

proclaimed by Hitler before Moscow, turns out to be something less. If things get too tough, Adolf may have to capture France again.

REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR—

Damaged—Not Sunk
The charmed life of Larry Allen has at last been broken temporarily. This Associated Press reporter is about as close as a war correspondent can come today to resemble Richard Harding Davis, Winston Churchill and the other storied correspondents of former wars.

For more than a year he has been stationed at Cairo and most of that time has been at sea with units of the British Mediterranean fleet covering the war the hard way in a service that has seen more action than any other. He was aboard H. M. S. Illustrious when she came through the most terrific air attack ever loosed against a single ship. He was aboard in several of the bombardments of the Lybian coast. His stories have been the stories of the Mediterranean war. He has recorded for Americans the tides of conflict in the tideless sea.

But Larry Allen is in a hospital today. The Jerries finally caught up with him—and apparently a cruiser to which he was attached. But he filed his story—it came through just after word came that he had been hurt. It told the story of the cruiser under day-long bombing attacks. They caught up with it and with Larry Allen that night, from what we can piece together.

But he'll come through, they say, to sail some more with the fleets that gird the globe. In all morning newspaper offices Tuesday Larry Allen was the big news, notwithstanding a world at war, because Allen is one of the greatest in a great tradition of American newspapering. The Jerries would have liked to have sent him down with the cruiser. But he swallowed a lot of oil and water and came through to become news himself. Of such is American journalism.

REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR—

With the enemy too far away for hand-to-hand punishment, no place for long, enameled fingernails in the war effort is seen at this time.

REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR—

The Manly Virtues
"By helping to keep alive the manly virtues of truthfulness, loyalty, courage and helpfulness."

In those words President Roosevelt describes the contribution that Boy Scouts of America make to national strength and morale. They are found in his Christmas greetings, sent to the Scouts this week.

It is interesting to recall that, in addition to being Honorary President of the Scouts, the President himself was a Scout for many years of his youth.

No one can compute the great service scouting has done for the nation. Not all, of course, but many of the young men who, in the various branches of our armed services have already revealed that the American quality still lives, were Scouts in their boyhood. And it is safe to predict that a vast proportion of those who shall carry high the honor of America in this war we are just beginning, will have been Scouts.

For Scouts hold firm to ideals which make real men. From the same ideals which Scouts hold true, come those qualities which make, in truest sense, the worthy man, the honorable citizen and, if needs be, the unconquerable warrior for the right.

Now, as perhaps never before, the nation needs men who have kept themselves physically fit, mentally alert and morally straight. From the ranks of ex-Scouts the nation will find many such men to fill that need.

REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR—

Selected sayings: Remember the Alamo. We have just begun to fight. Damn the torpedoes. Remember the Maine. Lafayette, we are here. Remember Pearl Harbor.

REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR—

A scientist thinks he can increase the life span to 220. Then we'd be our own posterity, and it would serve us right.

REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR—

All we get out of that great form chart which is called history is that, as a rule, the side with the last loaf of bread wins the war.

REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR—

Georgia Editors Say:
IT HAS HAPPENED
(From The Louisville News and Farmer.)

At last the long spell of waiting and wondering is at an end and there is some relief in knowing that the worst that can happen has happened and our country is plunged in war. Plunged into a war that was none of our doing and plunged into war when we as a nation were doing everything humanly possible to avert bloodshed. The blow has fallen and, since the blow was inevitable, many sane, levelheaded people are glad that the time of hoping against hope of appeasement and temporizing is over, and that we are now ready to face what we must face and endure what we must endure until the time of the ultimate victory of civilization over savagery.

The American people have every right to be proud and glad that our escutcheon as a nation remains clean and that America has remained true to its policy of never seeking war, always trying to avert bloodshed, and going the last mile in trying to prolong peace. Today there are no ifs and and's about our foreign policy. We stand united as we have seldom, if ever, been united before in that every American citizen knows that this wanton attack was absolutely unsolicited and that the administration has all but leaned backwards in a conciliatory attitude. No man need say to himself, "If the President had done this," or "If Mr. Hull had said that," war possibly could have been averted. As everyone knows, while the President and his cabinet and Secretary Hull were still conferring with that arch fiend, Kuru, bombs were falling on our insular possessions. While on our part the conference was held in good faith, on the part of Japan the conference was but a slimy way of stabbing to the heart a nation while giving a Judas kiss.

But always I've remembered that judgment of the businessman; father of my chum, on the

WASHINGTON PARADE

By GLADSTONE WILLIAMS.

GERMAN RETREAT WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—While the German rout in Russia still has the possibilities of proving a second Napoleon's retreat from Moscow, high government officials are yet to be convinced that Hitler's withdrawal of troops is not a deliberate move preparatory to some new thrust in the immediate future.

This represents the most skeptical view, of course, and is not shared by all informed official sources.

Unless the Russians make a complete debacle of the present German retreat, chasing them out of the country completely, some of our officials expect to see Hitler launch a new attack in one of three directions within the next few weeks: (1) A drive through Turkey against the Suez Canal; (2) a move through Spain against Gibraltar and into North Africa, and (3) an attempt to carry out long-made threats for an invasion of England.

PERSISTENT SKEPTICS But for the serious losses being inflicted by the hard-hitting Russians, this group of our officials would be more inclined to the view that Hitler is up to some new scheme. As it is, they are regarding developments skeptically.

Another plausible conjecture is that Hitler may be compelled to make some new military move, if for nothing else than to take the edge off the setback his forces have suffered in Russia. He could then say that the Soviet withdrawal was in keeping with set plans—provided, of course, the Red army can be held at some prepared position further along the line of retreat.

TYPHUS RUMORED One of the stories heard in responsible diplomatic circles of Washington attributes a considerable part of the Nazi retreat to the outbreak of typhus in the German army. Prevalence of the dreaded disease among Hitler's troops has previously been referred to in cabled news dispatches from the Russian front.

Latest diplomatic reports from European sources say that the disease has spread alarmingly and is having a disastrous effect on army morale.

In explanation of why the Russians have shown a greater immunity to the disease than the Germans, it is said that the Soviet soldiers smear their bodies with a type of grease not available to their enemies. The grease keeps away lice and other vermin, which are the main source of spreading typhus.

VERMIN-RIDDEN Moscow communiques have constantly told

of the vermin-ridden character of captured Nazi prisoners. Little enough opportunity is provided for sanitary measures under the best of conditions found in the sustained and bitter Russian fighting. Even less would be expected under sub-zero weather, such as the Germans are having to contend with there now. The typhus story may have greater elements of truth than we suspect.

Aside from very extended supply lines and the rigors of the severe Russian winter for which the Germans are not as well prepared, military observers on the Soviet front have suggested another possible explanation of the halted Nazi advance. It has to do with the age and character of the new troop replacements Hitler has been forced to send to the front to fill heavy gaps in his army.

BEST TROOPS GONE According to these Russian observers, the German prisoners captured by the Soviet army during early weeks of the war were youths in their early twenties—more vigorous physical specimens who were fired with the Nazi zeal. They were Hitler's best troops. Most of them are supposed to have become casualties. During recent weeks the prisoners taken have been of a much higher age level and with none of the fanatical Nazi hero worship determination of their younger comrades. They are reported to have neither the physical stamina nor the enthusiasm of the earlier contingents.

If this is true, it may indicate that the war is reaching a stage where the one admitted superiority the Russians have over the German military machine—man power—is coming into play. The Russians have been able to bring up fresh reserves who are just as vigorous as the first units sent into action. That explains how they were able to launch a counterdrive with replacements just as the moment the Germans were urging their weary forces on to the final assault on Moscow.

AS TO EQUIPMENT But for the lack of equipment the situation might have untold possibilities. Most military persons who are competent to express an opinion do not believe, however, that the Soviet army has the necessary equipment left to press their advantage to the utmost. Nevertheless, the possibilities are not being written off so early.

SILHOUETTES

By RALPH T. JONES.

Estimates

comparative honesty of Chinese and Japanese businessmen.

Once upon time the Japanese were, generally speaking, a rather highly regarded race among most folks in the United States. In the days when "The Japanese Schoolboy" was a stock character in American literature, we regarded the Japanese as smart, trustworthy and, in a way, as a parallel people among Orientals to ourselves in the western world.

Of course the last remnant of that good esteem in which we held the Nipponese people was wiped out by the treachery of their war attack upon us on Sunday, December 7. Today we know the Japs for what they are and reluctantly admit we must have been mistaken in the long ago.

I suppose there are some good Japs. A whole nation couldn't be as false as the leaders who planned and executed the Hawaii treachery. There are, we all know, good Japs in America, today. Some who have long resided among us and whom we continue to trust, as individuals.

But, regardless of the individual exceptions whose decency but makes the darker, by comparison, the foulness of their government, we should now know, and never forget, that Japanese, generally speaking, are to be looked upon with darkest suspicion.

Boyhood

Teaching.
As a young boy, in Liverpool, I was acquainted with a large business firm. The son of the then head of that firm was my closest chum in schooldays. Today he heads the firm. And his forefathers for generations have headed it before him.

That firm did business in practically every country on the globe. Either buying their raw materials or selling their finished product. They had the records, in their accumulated ledgers, of all the individual transactions, all over the world, for generations.

One day the father of my chum was talking with the two of us and the conversation turned, for some reason, to the Orient and Orientals. Perhaps school studies of the moment dealt with the Far East.

Anyway, this man told us, his son and I, that in all the history of his firm, they had never, in so far as he could discover, had to mark off a bad debt against a Chinese customer.

"But those Japs!" he exclaimed. "We've learned to watch 'em. It must be either cash in advance or security as good as gold when you deal with a Jap merchant. Our books show it."

I've told that little story to many people, through the years. Some have tried to argue with me. Some were great admirers of the Japs and some sneered at the Chinese. You remember the old phrase, "The wily Chinee."

But always I've remembered that judgment of the businessman; father of my chum, on the

FAIR ENOUGH

By WESTBROOK PEGLER.

Weren't We All? NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Yes, they apparently were caught in their hands in their pockets at Pearl Harbor, with a known thug and a notorious sneak-puncher, at that, lurking near, but weren't we all?

Our present view of the campaign to remilitarize dates only from May, 1940, and even our arguments on that phase of the problem are confused, for there were very few among the isolationists who opposed this program. Those few, incidentally, and lest we forget, were mainly Communists and Nazis, not Americans. Most of the patriotic Americans who were isolationists up to that hour of war believed in militarizing the country but opposed President Roosevelt's foreign policy which they thought provocative and dangerous. They did not counsel unarmed surrender to anyone. They were for armed and mighty isolation.

But, before May, 1940, and especially before Hitler started this war deliberately and wantonly and in violation of every assurance that he could give to lull the suspicions of trusting, peaceful people, we all were guilty and the entire nation was still off guard when Japan struck.

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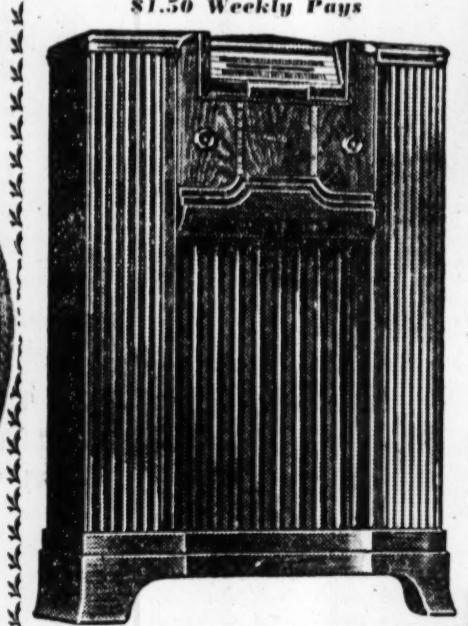
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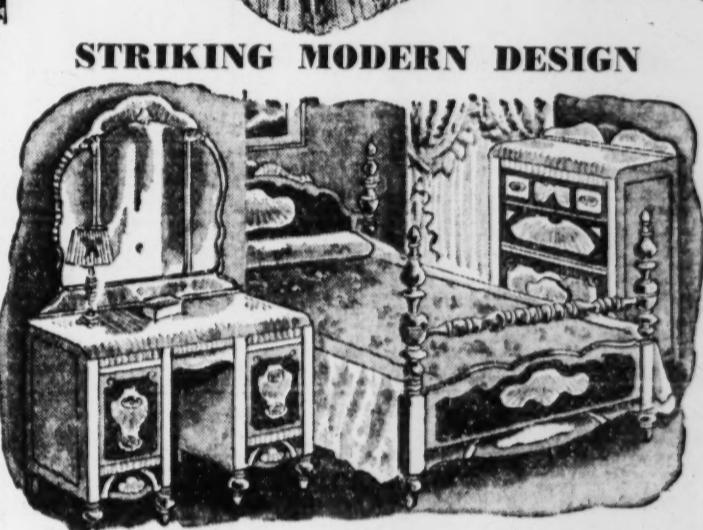
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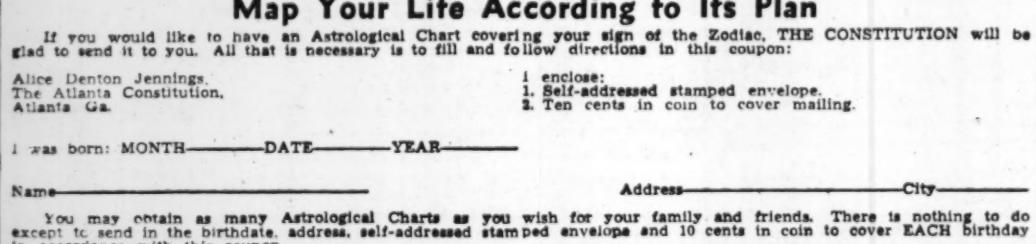
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8:15 Sundial	Penelope Pen	Morning Rhythms	Morning Man
8:30 News; Sundial	Rich, Liebaut (N)	Rhythms	Morning Man
8:45 Sundial; News	M. G. R. Program	News (N)	Let's Go Shop
9:00 News (C)	News: Songs	Breakfast Club (N)	Interlude
9:15 Melodic Moments (C)	Market Basket (N)	Breakfast Club (N)	Reynolds' Or.
9:30 Chuck Wagon	Enid Day	Breakfast Club (N)	Rev. Wade
9:45 Chuck Wagon	Hank Lawson	Breakfast Club (N)	Wade
10:00 Coffee Club (C)	Rhythm Reflect.	News and Music	News
10:15 Coffee Club (C)	Rhythm Reflect.	Bible Class	Morning Dance
10:30 Jones and I (C)	America Free	Bible Class	Morning Dance
10:45 Jones and I (C)	America Free	Bible Class	Morning Dance
11:00 News; Festival	Lincoln Hwy (N)	Radio Neighbor	Balroom
11:15 K. Thompson Fox (C)	Lincoln Hwy (N)	Radio Neighbor	Army Band (M)
11:30 Dorothy Kilgallen (C)	Church Country (N)	Jimmy Smith	Army Band (M)
11:45 Hilltop Champs (C)	News	Pop Eckler	Army Band (M)

AFTERNOON

WGST 920	WSB 750	WAGA 1480	WATL 1400
12:00 Theater of Today (C)	Man on Farm	News	Go-Round
12:15 Theater of Today (C)	Man on Farm	Dance Music	Merry-Go-Round
12:30 Dancing Party	Farmer Home (C)	Music Bar	Okay-Go-Round
12:45 Dancing Party	Farmer Home (C)	Music Bar	Vocal Varieties
1:00 Let's Pretend (C)	Farm Home (N)	Midday Musicals	News; Hirsch
1:15 Let's Pretend (C)	Farm Home (N)	Midday Musicals	Hirsch Presents
1:30 Science Adventure (C)	Weather; Jubiles	Vincent Lopez (N)	Dance Music
1:45 Science Adventure (C)	News	Vincent Lopez (N)	Golly's (Or. M)
2:00 News; Men-Books (C)	Christmas—	Met. Opera	News; Music
2:15 Of Men and Books (C)	Coast to Coast (N)	Met. Opera	Cameron at Organ
2:30 Bush Creek (C)	Dance Music	Met. Opera	Dance Music (M)
2:45 Bush Creek (C)	Dance Music	Met. Opera	Dance Music (M)
3:00 CONSTITUTION	Defense of Dollar	Met. Opera	News
3:15 Presbyterian Hr.	Choral Program	Met. Opera	Swing
3:30 Saints Cyril &	Campus Capers (N)	Met. Opera	Swing
3:45 Methodius Chorus	Campus Capers (N)	Met. Opera	Swing
4:00 Meadowbrook Mat. (C)	News and Music	Met. Opera	News
4:15 Meadowbrook Mat. (C)	Races (N)	Met. Opera	Swing Session
4:30 News; M'brook (C)	Weekend Whimsy	Met. Opera	Blue Barron (M)
4:45 Meadowbrook Mat. (C)	Weekend Whimsy	Met. Opera	Blue Barron (M)
5:00 Cleveland Orch. (C)	Dr. Hull	Sports; News	News
5:15 Cleveland Orch. (C)	A Capella Choir (N)	Glen Miller (N)	Dance Music
5:30 Cleveland Orch. (C)	Recital Period	Glen Miller (N)	Dance Music (M)
5:45 Cleveland Orch. (C)	News	Sports Review	Dance Music (M)

EVENING

WGST 920	WSB 750	WAGA 1480	WATL 1400
6:00 Calling Pan-Amer. (C)	Rhythmathe (N)	Dance Music	News; Dance Music
6:15 Calling Pan-Amer. (C)	Sports News	Dance Music	Dance Music
6:30 Elmer Davis (C)	County Salute	Go to Church	Today's Sports
6:45 The World Today (C)	County Salute	Song Service	Dance Music
7:00 Dance Music	Defense Program	Israel Message (N)	Van Der Vee (M)
7:15 Gay Nineties Songs	Defense Program	Israel Message (N)	Rollin's Trio
7:30 Wayne King's Or. (C)	Emma Otero	Dance Music	Confidentially (M)
7:45 Wayne King's Or. (C)	Kaltenborn (N)	Dance Music	Interlude
8:00 Guy Lombardo Or. (C)	WSB Barn Dance	Boy Meets Band (N)	Green Hornet (M)
8:30 Hobby Lobby (C)	WSB Barn Dance	WSB Barn Dance	Decatur Baptist
9:00 Your Hit Parade (C)	Barn Dance (N)	Spin, Win (N)	Theater of Air (M)
9:30 Your Hit Parade (C)	Barn Dance (N)	Frank Black (N)	Theater of Air (M)
9:45 Saturday Serenade (C)	Barn Dance (N)	Frank Black (N)	Theater of Air (M)
10:00 Saturday Serenade (C)	Bill Stern (N)	Treas'ry Con. (N)	Cedric Foster (M)
10:15 Public Affairs (C)	Profit Patriots (N)	Treasury Con. (N)	Spotlight Bands (M)
10:30 Olga Coehlo (C)	Grand Ole Opry (N)	Grand Ole Opry (N)	Spotlight Bands (M)
11:00 CONSTITUTION	News	Dave Marshall (N)	News and Sports
11:10 Dance Music (C)	River Boys (N)	Dave Marshall (N)	Dance Music
11:30 Blue Barron (C)	River Rafters	Val Olman (N)	Radio Rodeo
12:00 CBS Programs	Music of Amer (N)	Sign off	News; Sign off
3:00 Sign off	Sign off	Silent	Silent

3:00 Sign off

Pre-Christmas Services Steel Members to Task of Defending Religious Heritage

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and worship their God and go their way untroubled. All these things they pray for the strength to protect, as tomorrow they come to their altars to renew the inner powers that faith in God bestows.

Vision of Peace.

Yet as they seek the strength to go into the gathering storm, they still retain the vision, and the memory of a light that has burned for 2,000 years.

And they sing of the Manger, and the Wise Men following a star. And of a Child who came with a message that down through the ages has brought hope and faith to the sad, bewildered hearts of men.

And from their prayers, and their songs of praise, they will draw the strength to conquer—braving peace to the war-torn world again.

A Christmas cantata, "On Wings of Angel's Song," will be presented at the Central Baptist church tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock. The program will be under the direction of J. G. Smith, choir director. A Christmas message will feature the service at 11 o'clock in the morning.

Jackson Hill Baptist church will present a Christmas cantata, "The Carol from the Skies," at the services tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock. Special holiday music will mark the 11 o'clock services.

"Child Jesus," a Christmas cantata, will be presented by the Grant Park Baptist church choir tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock. The choir of 35 voices is under the direction of H. Lowney Haynie.

Martha Brown Methodist church choir will present the Christmas cantata, "His Natal Day," tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock under the direction of Miss Lillian Everett.

"Yuletide Memories," the cantata which closes with the celebrated "Hallelujah Chorus" from the "Messiah," will be presented by the regular choir and an antiphonal choir during services at St. Paul Methodist church tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock. Special music will be sung at the morning hour.

The choir of Kirkwood Methodist church will present the cantata, "The Story of Christmas," tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock. Harold Dobbs and Clayton Blanchard will direct the choir.

Capital View Baptist church choir will present a special Christmas pageant, "Peace on Earth," under the direction of Mrs. May Harber. Young people of the church, assisted by the choir, will present the program.

Mother's class of the Decatur First Methodist church, assisted by the choir, will present a special Christmas pageant tomorrow evening at 5:30 o'clock. The professional and special Christmas carols will feature holiday music.

The annual Christmas pageant will be presented at the Revere Street Presbyterian church tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock. The pageant, "White Gifts for the King," which portrays the spirit of holiday worship, will feature a cast of young people.

"The Story of Nativity," a pageant in seven scenes, will be presented by the Grace Missouri synod Lutheran church tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock. Special Christmas services also will be presented Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.

A candlelight carol service will be presented by the Trinity Methodist choir, under the direction of Carl S. Millard, tomorrow evening at 5 o'clock.

A program of special music will be presented during Christmas services at Capitol View Methodist church tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock.

"Yuletide Memories," a cantata, will be presented by the choir of St. Paul Methodist church tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock. A special Christmas message and music will feature the morning worship hour.

Christmas services will be held at the Owl Rock Methodist church tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. Rev. W. M. Hunton, pastor, will speak.

Special music and a Christmas message by R. B. Brantley, will mark special services at the Atlanta Primitive Baptist church, 766 Boulevard, tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

Two special Christmas services will be presented by the Inman Park Presbyterian church tomorrow. Dr. J. T. Gellispie will speak at 11 o'clock. A candlelight service sponsored by the Woman's Auxiliary will feature the 7:30 o'clock hour.

"Jesus, the Savior Is Born," will be the topic of a special Christmas message to be delivered by Rev. Paul S. James, pastor of the Baptist Tabernacle, tomorrow morning at 10:30. The "White Gift" service will be observed at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday school members will bring baskets for the needy.

A special Christmas service will be held at the Church of the Open Door, Rialto theater, tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. Dr. Sam Daughtry, minister, will speak.

The Pep Class of the First Christian church of East Point will hold a Christmas party Monday at the church annex.

"Will Christ Be at Your Christmas?" is the topic of Rev. Walt Holcomb's special Christmas message to be delivered at the morning and evening services of the Wesley Memorial Methodist church tomorrow. Special music has been arranged.

A Christmas musical will be presented at the Oakland City Methodist church tomorrow night at 8 o'clock.

A special Christmas music program will be presented by the choir of the Peachtree Christian church tomorrow at the 11 o'clock and 5 o'clock services. The Junior and Young People's choirs will present the programs.

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The church will present the Central Presbyterian church at 5:30 o'clock tomorrow evening. A Christmas story will be told in a tableau.

A cantata by the choir and congregational singing of hymns will mark the Christmas observance at the Park Baptist church tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock.

Three special Christmas services, each featuring music by the choir, will be presented by the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer tomorrow at 11 o'clock in the morning, 7 o'clock, and Christmas Eve night at 11 o'clock.

A candlelight carol service will be presented at the Druid Hills Methodist church tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock. The choir and congregation will feature the meeting.

Music and words appropriate to the Christmas season will feature services at the Druid Hills Baptist church tomorrow. At the 11 o'clock service Dr. Louie D. Newton, minister, will speak on "Quit You Like Men." At the 7:30 o'clock service, Christmas carols and anthems will be sung by the choir.

The four choirs of the First Baptist church will join voices tomorrow night at 7:15 o'clock in presenting a program of special music, telling the story of Christmas. The four choirs are the Crusaders'

Dr. King To Preach At Sandy Springs

Dr. W. P. King, former editor of the Christian Advocate, and a long member of the North Georgia Methodist Conference, recently was appointed pastor of the Sandy Springs-Sardis churches near Buckhead.

A candlelight service will be presented at the Druid Hills Presbyterian church tomorrow evening at 5 o'clock. "Christmas Through the Centuries" will be the theme of the program. Junior and senior choirs will be featured.

The vested choir of the Lakewood Heights Interdenominational church, directed by Louis A. Williams, will present a Christmas cantata, "His Natal Day," tomorrow evening at 5 o'clock.

The new pastor will present tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock at Sandy Springs on "The Christian Athlete."

Calvary Baptists To Give Pageant at Buckhead

"White Gifts for the King," a pageant, will be presented at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow night at Calvary Baptist church, Buckhead, it was announced yesterday.

The Bible school will stage the presentation and will be assisted by the choir. Mrs. Charles L. Mathews is director. H. W. Forrer, choir director, will be in charge of the music. Mrs. Martha Barr will give several solo numbers. The Rev. H. W. Morris is pastor of the church, and Charles L. Mathews is superintendent of the Bible school.

CATHOLIC.

CATHEDRAL OF CHRIST THE KING, 269 Peachtree Road, N. E.—Rev. Monsignor Joseph E. Moyle, rector, will present a special Christmas mass with benediction following the 10 a.m. mass; weekday masses at 8 a.m.; confessions at 9:15 a.m.; masses at 12:15 p.m.; "Christmas Mass" at midnight Christmas Eve and 7, 8, 9 and 10 a.m. on Christmas Day.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION (Hunter Street and Central Avenue)—Rev. James J. Murphy, pastor, will present a special Christmas mass at midnight Christmas Eve and 7, 8, 9 and 10 a.m. on Christmas Day.

DECATUR—Dr. D. P. McGahey, pastor; 11 a.m. "Mass of Christ" on Christmas Day.

MORNINGSIDE (Morningside Drive at Peachtree Avenue)—Rev. James J. Murphy, pastor; 11 a.m. "Mass of Christ" on Christmas Day.

ST. JOSEPH—Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor; 11 a.m. "Mass of Christ" on Christmas Day.

WEST END—Rev. Harry W. Wade, minister; 11 a.m. "The Christmas Message"; 5:30 p.m. vespers.

ST. ANTHONY (Gordon and Ashby Streets)—Rev. James J. Murphy, pastor; 11 a.m. "Mass of Christ" on Christmas Day.

ST. MARY'S (Gordon and Ashby Streets)—Rev. James J. Murphy, pastor; 11 a.m. "Mass of Christ" on Christmas Day.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL (335 Ivy Street, N. E.)—Rev. F. J. Weis, S. A. M., pastor; 11 a.m. "Mass of Christ" on Christmas Day.

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Camp Fire Plans Doll Breakfast

Camp Fire Girls' annual doll breakfast will take place this morning at 8:30 o'clock at S. & W. Cafeteria, with members of girls' cabinet acting as hostesses. For many weeks groups have been busily dressing dolls to bring as gifts in the breakfast. The party will open with a grand march led by Margaret Yancey, president of Girls' Cabinet. Each girl will present her doll to Major Gilbert Decker who will turn them over to the Salvation Army Toy Shop for distribution.

The Guardians' Association entertained at a dinner recently in honor of its new members who have come into the organization this fall. This was held at Grace Methodist church with Mrs. Walter Thomas acting as toastmistress. Mrs. Parker Liles was in charge of the program which included Christmas games and songs.

Blue Bird Council in the Atlanta Council were entertained recently at a party in the auditorium at Nathan B. Forest school. Mrs. J. S. Alfonso was chairman of arrangements and the program consisted of moving pictures, a grand march, games and refreshments. Each girl brought a present beginning with the letter "B" for Blue Birds. These were given to the Salvation Army Toy Shop for distribution.

Personals

Mrs. William Benedict left yesterday to join Mr. Benedict in Savannah for a few days. They will spend Christmas here with Mrs. Benedict's parents, Judge and Mrs. Shepard Bryan, on Peachtree road. Their small son, Charles, is now with his grandparents.

Mrs. I. Liebman is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Arthur I. Harris, on Ponce de Leon avenue. Mrs. Liebman previously spent four months in New York with another daughter, Mrs. M. A. Rothschild.

Miss Betty Regenstein arrives today from Sophie Newcomb in New Orleans, where she is a student, to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Meyer Regenstein, on Walker Terrace.

Arnold Barrett and William Bush, who are students at Georgia Tech, will leave today to spend Christmas at their homes in Atlanta.

Miss Patricia Slater has returned from Edgewood Park College, Briarcliff Manor, New York, to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Slater, on Brookhaven drive.

Miss Beverly Feigenberg, of Sausalito, Cal., is the guest of Miss Janice Oettinger at her home on East Lake road. Miss Jeannie Wolff, of Savannah, her roommate at the University of Georgia, will arrive Monday to spend the Christmas holidays.

Miss Joy Gottesman will spend the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gottesman, of Elkmont drive. Miss Gottesman is a junior at Larson Junior College, New Haven, Conn.

Mrs. T. L. Blankenship, of Grantville, has returned home after spending several days with Mrs. Albert S. Crumbley at the Georgian Terrace hotel.

Mrs. Thornton Marrye is spending two weeks in Thomasville as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Minor Betts Haverty.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Eberhardt left Wednesday to winter in Florida. They will visit Sarasota, St. Petersburg, Fort Myers and Miami.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen West are spending some time in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Miss Rosalind F. Rieman is spending a few days in New Orleans.

Miss Jane DuRose leaves this week to spend the holidays in Ludowici.

Harry Eberhardt Jr., who is a student at G. M. A., will spend the holidays in Florida.

Mrs. C. S. Williams is recuperating at the Eye and Ear infirmary following an operation.

William C. Payne, student at the Baylor school, Chattanooga, is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon L. Payne, 1041 East Cliff road.

Charles and Marion Sams, students at the Baylor school, Chattanooga, are spending the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Augustine Sams, 1557 North Decatur road.

John Wallace Jr. arrives today from Charleston, S. C., to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents.

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MISS HELEN FRANCES MCCOLLUM.

Miss McCollum's engagement to Robert Stockton Smythe is announced today by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. McCollum. The marriage is scheduled for January 11.

Social Calendar Featured By Parties for Debutantes

Listed among interesting affairs planned in compliment to the season's debutantes is the tea planned for December 23 to be given by Miss Emily Anderson at her residence on Peachtree road for Miss Virginia Dulaney, Margaret Troutman, C. C. Proctor and Caroline McCallum.

Man Cooleidge and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cooleidge for Miss Keefer Newton.

The table was beautified by an attractive centerpiece carrying out the holiday motif. Covers were laid for a group of popular belle and their escorts.

Earlier in the day Miss Margaret Harmon was honored at the luncheon given by Mrs. Stephens Mitchell at her home on Peachtree street.

A patriotic motif was carried out in the decorations on the luncheon table, which was centered with an arrangement of red and white roses and snapdragons. Red, white and blue place cards designated the guests' places.

Covers were laid for Mrs. Howard Harmon, mother of the honor guest; Mrs. Angus Perkinson, Mrs. John Marsh and Misses Josephine McDougal, Larue Mizell, Bettie Hoyt, Margaret Winship, Mary Frances Broach, Mary Virginia McConnell, Virginia Richardson, C. C. Proctor, Mary Ellen Orme, Clare Hewett, Miss Peppermint, the honor guest and hostess.

The table was centered with an oblong arrangement of brilliant red poinsettias, and place cards further carried out the Christmas motif.

Covers were laid for Miss Harmon, her mother, Mrs. Howard Harmon, and Misses Helen McDuffie, Jean Pentecost, Marjorie Macom, Mary Frances Broach, Margaret Peavy, C. C. Proctor, Keefer Newton, Clare Hewett and Virginia Dulaney.

Thursday's social calendar was marked by several interesting parties given in compliment to popular members of the Debutante Club.

Misses Mary Frances Broach and C. C. Proctor shared honors Thursday at the morning coffee given by Miss Jeannette Cox at her home on Lullwater road.

The tea table was overlaid with a lace cloth and centered with a five-branched silver and crystal candelabra holding lighted tapers. Flanking this were antique silver and crystal compotes holding arrangements of colorful fruits. Talisman roses, yellow chrysanthemums and snapdragons and cellophane flowers with holly decorated the reception room.

Mrs. Mercer Poole, mother of the honor guest, and Mrs. Ed Mellock presided over the tea and coffee services. Misses Robert Hall III, Arthur Burdett, Bagley Benson and Robert Miles assisted in entertaining. Miss Katherine Poole, sister of the honor guest, received the cards at the door.

Two hundred guests called during the afternoon.

Another large affair was the dinner party given last evening at the Mirador Room of the Capital City Club by Mr. and Mrs. Norman.

Parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace, at their home on West Wesley road.

Miss Masie Eden has arrived from Greencastle, Ind., where she is a student at De Pauw University, to spend the holidays with her parents, Colonel and Mrs. J. D. Eden.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen and daughter, Patricia, of Kearney, N. J., arrive Monday to spend the holidays with the former's mother, Mrs. A. S. Allen, in Decatur.

Mrs. I. I. Shropshire is recuperating from a recent operation at Georgia Baptist hospital, and will return to her home the first of next week.

Mrs. Alice Harrington Kirsten has returned from New York, and will spend Christmas at her home here.

Fred Hoyt Jr., Billy Nicholson and Billy Sewell arrived yesterday from Rome, where they are students at Darlington school, to spend the holidays with their parents.

Miss Susan Gray Dillingham, of Philadelphia, Pa., arrived today to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dillingham, on Ivey road.

Mr. Norton Honored.

Olin Norton was central figure at a surprise shower given recently for him, where they are students at Darlington school, to spend the holidays with their parents.

Misses Gray Dillingham, of Philadelphia, Pa., arrived today to

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Mr. and Mrs. G. Bingham Bache Jr. and infant son, William Luke, of Pensacola, Fla., are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Bache Sr. at their home, 146 Seventh street, N. E.

Child Welfare Association Is Represented in Service

The Child Welfare Association has five boys in the American Navy and one boy in the Marines. Miss Florence Van Sickler, executive secretary, reported to the board of directors at the unusually fine meeting they held this week. The boys, who were scholarship students of the association and are now in the armed service, are Stanley Clark, W. H. Frederick, Clarence Chastain, Wesley Bellamy, Tay Doyle and James McBride (colored).

Mrs. Frank Neely, president of the association, paid tribute to Mrs. Hill's work and said it was something all Georgians could point to with real pride.

Miss Van Sickler reported 313 children under care in November and 48 new applications for care.

Mrs. Dan McDougald reported increasing interest in the memorial fund and the genuine appreciation of the fund by people who have contributed to it in memory of a deceased friend or relative. This fund is made up of contributions given in memory of friend or relative.

Miss Neely pointed with pride to the defense work which the members of the board of directors of the Child Welfare Association are carrying on in responsible administrative posts, while at the same time keeping up their vital interest in the work of the association.

Miss Wren Weds Mr. Avery Jan. 3

LAGRANGE, Ga., Dec. 19.—An announcement of wide interest throughout Georgia and Alabama is that made by Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Martin, of Talladega, Ala., of the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Virginia Wren, to Robert Marvin Avery Jr., of LaGrange. The marriage will be solemnized at 5:30 at the First Presbyterian church, in Talladega.

The charming bride-elect, a student in the junior class at Alabama Polytechnic Institute, is a graduate of Washington Seminary, in Atlanta. She is the daughter of Mrs. Martin, and the late Edward R. Wren, of Talladega.

Mr. Avery is the son of Dr. and Mrs. R. M. Avery, of LaGrange, and is the brother of Mrs. Frank Hutchinson Jr., Miss Mildred Avery, and William Green Avery, all of LaGrange.

He is a graduate of LaGrange High school, and is a member of the senior class at Alabama Polytechnic Institute.

Miss Jamie Longino Is Honor Guest.

Miss Julia Longino, whose marriage to Luke Seagraves will be an event of December 25, was honored recently at a miscellaneous shower and luncheon at Rich's tearoom, by Miss Estelle Russell and Miss Amy Smith.

The table was beautified with a floral centerpiece and an illuminated wedding bell. Miniature wedding bells decorated in silver were used as place cards.

Miss Longino will be honored with other affairs before her wed-

For Veterans.

Camp Evan P. Howell, U. C. V., will sponsor a Christmas party for veterans at the Soldiers' Home at 2:30 o'clock Monday. Veterans will be remembered with useful presents and with tasty treats.

A program of Christmas carols and readings will be presented by several well-known artists.

O. E. S. Party.

Oglethorpe Chapter, O. E. S., will give a party this evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. H. L. Dickerson, 3070 Piedmont road, northeast.



MRS. RALPH EIDSON.

Mrs. Eidsom, whose marriage was a recent event, is the former Mrs. Dorothy Harley, attractive daughter of Dr. and Mrs. L. J. Harley, of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Eidsom are residing in Palmetto.



MISS LULA BESS WISE.

Miss Lula Bess Wise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wise, of McDonough, will marry Robert Lee Kent, of Fort Jackson, S. C., this month, the announcement of her betrothal being made today.

Miss Sara de Arechavala Becomes Bride of John Tyler

COLUMBUS, Ga., Dec. 19.—The wedding of Miss Sara de Arechavala and John Tyler, of Talladega, N. C., announced this evening at 8 o'clock at the First Baptist church, with Rev. George F. Brown, pastor, reading the marriage lines.

Mrs. Charles Turner, organist, will present a musical program.

Ushers will be H. M. Ramsey, brother of the groom-to-be, of Charlotte, N. C.; W. D. Northcutt, of W. R. Putnam, Asheville, N. C.; J. W. Cummings, Chattanooga, Tenn.; W. H. and Earl Benson.

Miss Ann Hawkins will be her sister's maid of honor, and bridesmaids will be Misses Betty Gober, Betty Erion, of New York, and Ruth Ramsey, sister of the groom-elect, Charlotte, N. C. Little Miss Frances Cook, of Birmingham, will be junior bridesmaid, and flower girls will be Sally Kennedy and Jane Putnam, of Asheville.

Bobby Northcutt, of Athens, will serve as ring-bearer.

Judge Hawkins will give his daughter in marriage, and Milton Ovalt, of Birmingham, Ala., will serve as best man.

Following the marriage Judge and Mrs. Hawkins will entertain at a reception for the bridal party and out-of-town guests.

Rainbow Assembly To Give Party.

Atlanta Assembly No. 5, Order of Rainbow for Girls, will observe its annual Christmas party this evening at 7:30 o'clock at Greenfield Lodge Hall, Little Five Points, by bringing toys for small children at the Scottish Rite hospital.

The following newly elected candidates will be initiated into the order: Misses Dorothy Burt, Betty Chapman, Barbara Hill, Doris Scovil, Sara Athearn, Betty Ahearn, Frances Johnson, Grace Slaughter and Harriet Collier.

Important announcements will be made in connection with Red Cross work which will be resumed by the order: Misses Dorothy Burt, Betty Chapman, Barbara Hill, Doris Scovil, Sara Athearn, Betty Ahearn, Frances Johnson, Grace Slaughter and Harriet Collier.

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Invited to meet the honor guest are Misses Sarah Cates, Laura Brownell, Dottie Groomer, Carolyn Howell, Florence Williams, Annette Livingston, Betty Garges, Martha Cronheim, Betty Clark, Miriam Harland, Harriet Smith and Caroline Smith.

Covers will also be laid for Mrs. Sabs, Mrs. W. R. L. Roberts, of Savannah, mother and grandmother of the honor guest, Mrs. Hugh Roberts, and the hostess.

Mrs. Daisy Moultrie was hostess recently to the Service Club at her home in East Point.

Mrs. Lillian West will honor the Service Club Wednesday, December 31, at her home, 422 East Virginia avenue in College Park. Luncheon will be served and a business meeting held.

Mrs. Maddox Plans Luncheon Honoring Miss Eleanor Sauls

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Mrs. Genevieve Barrett will give two Christmas parties for her piano pupils.

The younger group, who will be entertained this afternoon, include Evelyn Sims, Katherine Brock, Margaret Anne Linton, Jane Clegg, Anita Gathen, Carol Thompson, Frances Malone, treasurer, L. B. Brumley, active, attending, C. Adams Jr., C. R. Brown Jr., Paul Burgdorf, H. Fontaine, Jimmie Greene, Charles

Director of "Sergeant York" Films "Boy Scouts of America"

By Louella O. Parsons.

ENROUTE TO HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 18.—(INS)—Jack Warner is handling Jesse Lasky Warner's biggest assignment for 1942 in "Boy Scouts of America," which goes into production the minute Lasky finishes "Mark Twain." It didn't take much reading between the lines of the wire that reached me on the train to see Jack feels permission to film the scout service.

Several times in the past movie producers have wanted to film an official scout story—but they've been turned down because of "fic-

POINTS FOR PARENTS

By Edith Thomas Wallace



Mother: "I must either find a better way to teach Jack he must leave your pipe alone or else you'll have to keep it out of sight until he forgets about it." Why continue to use methods which have proven to be of no avail?

Panel Effect Offers Flattering Slimness

By Lillian Mae.

Pattern 4951.

Don't let those extra pounds keep you from being fashion-slim—let Lillian Mae show you the way with pattern 4951! It's cut on simple shirtwaister lines, and the panel-effect in front is new and narrowing on larger figures. For emphasis you can use a contrasting shade for the collar and yoke-and-panel in front, and the sleeve tabs, too, if you like. Notice how the skirt panel is repeated in the back. Another way to achieve color contrast is to make just the collar and triangular tabs in a different shade, or perhaps edge them with ric-rac to match the optional pockets. The Sewing Instructor guides you every step of the way—you will find this style so becoming and practical you'll want several versions!

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Are you too tall? Too short? Too plump? Too slim? If you are irregularly proportioned in any way, let the Lillian Mae Perfitt Foundation Pattern 4745 take the guess-work out of dressing. Adjust this "basic figure" tissue pattern to your measurements, then cut it out in muslin and fit it exactly for a permanent record. Pin your dress patterns to it, make the necessary changes, and the finished frock will fit with perfection. Designed for sizes 12 to 20; 30 to 50. Size 16 requires 3 1/2 yards 35-inch fabric. Price 15 cents.

Send your order to Lillian Mae Pattern Department, The Constitution, Atlanta, Ga.

A Variety of Designs for Linens



Grin and Bear It

By Lichy



"Does it look like we'll have a white Christmas, Slug?"

tional" angles to the story. So it goes without saying that Lasky will adhere closely to the facts in the careers of William Baden-Powell, W. D. Boyce and James E. West, all three of whom were involved in the scout movement, with the same care he gave "Sergeant York."

"Lady in the Dark" will be filmed sooner than any of us believed possible, although it is still going strong on the stage. Gertrude Lawrence told me that because of the elaborate settings and the large company she will not take it out on the road for an extensive tour. Ginger Rogers is set to play the Lawrence role, with Helen Broderick signed to play "Martha," created by Margaret Dale.

Count Eddie Albert out of the running for the Lou Gehrig role, in spite of the ardent campaign staged by his fans. Eddie is signed, sealed and practically delivered to Paramount to play the title role in "Merton of the Movies," the famous Harry Leon Wilson comedy which Glenn Hunter did in 1922. It will be a streamlined version of modern Hollywood with a musical background.

Lew Ayres gets a reprieve from the "Dr. Kildare" long enough to take the top role in "Fingers at the Window," the first picture Charlie Lederer directs for M-G-M. "Fingers at the Window," they tell me, is a fast murder mystery with accent on comedy, and Lew plays a stage actor out of a job who becomes involved in a sensational crime.

Snapshot of Hollywood and New York collected at random: Marlene Dietrich and Greg Bautzer dancing at the Mocambo; Wallace Beery surprising Brown Derby by luncheon by appearing not only in his naval reserve uniform—but with his ex-wife, Rita; Arleen Whelan looked so pretty selling bonds at the defense house in Pershing Square that Tom Dalton, "Folies" owner, bought a \$10,000 bond from her; Gloria Vanderbilt gifted Pat Di Cicco with a gold cigarette case that belonged to her father. Her grandmother gave it to her and it bears the initials of Reginald Vanderbilt; Laura Morgan, Gloria Vanderbilt and now Pat's; Gloria and Pat have decided to marry the Sunday after Christmas instead of Christmas day and Errol Flynn will be one of the ushers. That's all for today. See you tomorrow!

It may be style but it isn't good taste to wear your expensive jewelry with your knockabout clothes. And in case you question the authority of this statement, it originated with Olga Tritt, the famous jewelry designer.

Miss Tritt says, very firmly, that "diamonds and other precious stones are not in good taste when worn with sports clothes, sweaters and the like." That goes for any elaborate piece of jewelry, the real thing or simulated. As an example of the height of incongruity, the designer tells of seeing a "lady in impeccable riding costume adorned with long, hanging jade earrings." Whoa, thar!

As with all other designers, her sense of proportion is uppermost. Proportion, she insists, should determine the size, shape and placement of jewelry. For an objective view of jewelry in combination with your silhouette, she suggests standing away from the mirror just as you would stand away from a painting to get a good perspective.

If you have a thin face and long neck, what you want is not a long necklace that would exaggerate this length but one that will give a rounded effect. A three-strand necklace is especially flattering to the very thin, bony neck, but it should be delicately made and not too strident in color.

Of course, the first rule in minimizing this figure fault is to avoid a V-neckline in dress. The next, never to place an eye attracting pin or clip at the point of the V. It is much better to wear a round neckline and to place the clip on the shoulders.

These rules work in reverse for the short wide neck. The round choker necklaces—or chunky necklaces of any kind—should be avoided. The necklace should draw the eye downward either by an elongating loop or by bulk toward the front, which gives a V effect.

With an ample bosom, the pin or clip should be worn as high as possible on the shoulder or neckline to distract attention and give a longer line.

Miss Tritt believes in experimenting with clips. Try wearing one in the center of your turban, or on the sleeve ends at the wrists, or, if you are slender, at the center of the belt.

But if you are like most of us and limited as to jewelry, clips should be a second choice and your good pieces should be a ring. Here again proportion is important. It is a mistake, the designer says, for women with short fingers and plump hands to wear the huge semi-precious stones such as topazes and aquamarines that are now so much in demand. A small precious or semi-precious stone, beautifully mounted, is much more flattering to the plump hand.

Earrings are extremely flattering to a woman, as the touch of color at the lobe of the ear can be made to deepen the color of her eyes. To avoid contrast, long earrings should not be worn with a short neck or too round face. If this is your type, stick to the button earrings. All the designers agree that no woman should ever wear long droopy earrings with a long, loopy necklace. The



A Package Mailed Early Shows Patriotism



As cheerful as Christmas itself—that's Ginny Simms, R.-K.-O. Radio actress who plays one of the top roles in "Playmates."

Dr. Brady Defends His Right To Keep a Patient's Secret

By Dr. William Brady.

Your column interests me and tempts me to write, but not about anything seriously wrong as long as it is so public (written a woman, as I imagine, but I cannot tell, because the signature gives no clue). When there is anything seriously wrong let me go to a doctor who can live up to his creed and keep it a secret between us (she continues). That is not meant as a reflection on you as a doctor, you understand, but, well, let us say there are some things that cannot be cured by a doctor or cured so easily. No doubt you are helped by your advice and teachings, but the best cure for imaginary heart trouble, for instance, is to have a doctor use the stethoscope and then tell one there is nothing wrong at all. What a wonderful feeling that is. It makes one want to sing and shout. Doesn't it make you glad, too, when you are able to calm anyone's fears? I'll bet it does.

(W. A.)

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of such secrecy. But in a hysterical moment a legislature may enact a statute defining as a misdemeanor, punishable by fine or imprisonment, failure of a doctor to report immediately to the police any case of gunshot wound he sees or treats. No such law applies to cases of criminal abortion or various kinds of criminal attack, attempted suicide, etc., only gunshots, wounds, so far as I know. I still maintain, notwithstanding the contrary attitude of many or most physicians, that a doctor should not divulge to anyone except with the patient's consent the fact that he has seen or treated the victim of a shooting. It is no part of a physician's duty to pass upon the morals or the legal status of his patient. The Hippocratic oath does not discriminate between angel or devil, but assures to every human being the absolute secrecy of whatever the physician may learn or even suspect by reason of the confidential relation involved. At any rate, that's the way I look at it, and that's the way I'd want it if I were the patient.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

Brain Cells and Resuscitation.

How long can a person remain submerged and still be resuscitated? When do brain cells start to deteriorate?

(C. R. D.)

Answer—Due to the circumstances accurate, dependable information on that point is not available. Personally, I'd believe a victim of submersion or total deprivation of air or oxygen might possibly be resuscitated after 10 minutes in some circumstances. In any case artificial respiration should be carried on for at least half an hour longer, if there is any sign at all of life.

Physiologists say the higher brain cells die if deprived of their constant supply of oxygen for even a few seconds, but this dose not mean death necessarily. On request, if you inclose stamped envelope bearing your address, I am glad to send a booklet on "Resuscitation" with illustrations to show the correct method as described by Schafer, in contradistinction to the incorrect methods taught by many "life saving" instructors.

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Mack Has Seen Baseball Survive 2 Wars; Says It Will Pass 3d

Florida Meets U.C.L.A. Eleven Today at 2 P.M.

Crowd of 10,000 Expected To See Game at Jacksonville.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 19. (AP)—The U. C. L. A. Bruins and the Florida "Gators," a couple of teams that specialize in wide-open, all-or-nothing football, meet here tomorrow afternoon in an intersectional game expected to draw a crowd of about 10,000.

Coach Babe Horrell and his U. C. L. A. squad of 33 arrived from Los Angeles early today and went through a light drill.

Coach Tom Lieb sent the Florida squad through its final practice session at Gainesville this afternoon. The players will reach here tomorrow morning.

There was little to choose between the two teams in weight or on the basis of their records. Both average about 193 pounds in the line and 182 in the backfield. Each has won four games and lost five. Also on the Bruins' record, however, is a 7-7 tie with Southern California in their game two weeks ago. The "Gators" beat Georgia Tech, 14-7, in their last game, November 22.

Lieb's tentative starting lineups included nine of the 14 seniors on the Florida squad.

The kickoff is scheduled for 2 p.m. (eastern standard time).

Officials Named For Sugar Battle

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 19. (AP)—Officials for the annual Sugar Bowl football game here January 1 between Florida and Missouri were announced today as follows:

Referee, William T. Halloran (Providence, R. I.); umpire, M. G. Bolz (University of Nebraska); head linesman, Albert B. Maginnes (LeHigh University); field judge, Bat Shunatona (University of Oklahoma).

Why Not Enlist Turkey in Army?

GREENVILLE, S. C., Dec. 19. (AP)—Johnny Nee, chief scout for the New York Yankees, was promised a 25-pound Christmas turkey at the Jacksonville minor league baseball meeting by Sports Editor Carter (Scoop) Latimer, of the Greenville News. But, says Latimer, Johnny Nee is doomed to disappointment.

"I'm gonna plow with the turkey I promised him," he wrote tonight in his column, "since the war may cause a mule shortage on Scooperoo ranch."



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All in The Game

BY JACK TROY

Success Story Wally Butts' has come a long way in a couple of seasons as head coach at the University of Georgia. And in traveling steadily to the top he has silenced at least nine out of every 10 critics.

Butts has achieved signal success not only as a coach but as a speaker as well.

Not every coach is asked to address the Washington (D. C.) Touchdown Club at the annual dinner. It's a real honor, indeed, and probably is to be traced to the hit the Little Round Man made at the New York Writers luncheon following the game with Columbia.

Such fellows as Bob Conside and Stanley Woodward, echoing the opinion of all Metropolitan writers present, compared Wally favorably with the favorite racer among modern coaches—Jimmy Conzelman.

Butts' natural southern drawl, combined with a keen sense of humor, has made a hit at all football gatherings, and his fame has spread across the eastern seaboard.

Originally Wally figured he was hired to do a job of coaching—not talking—but he made good at the latter without half trying. Simply because he was so natural on the hustings.

There were a lot of critics who assailed Athletic Director W. O. Payne when he announced Butts' selection as head coach. The caustic letters piled high upon his desk.

But today, as Georgia prepares for its first bowl game in history, there is nothing but praise for a wise choice. It didn't take the little round man long to justify his selection in a job which sought him. He made no overtures for it when he served as backfield coach under Joel Hunt.

Sleepless Nights It is an actual fact that worry over his team caused Butts many a sleepless night and much physical discomfort in his initial year in charge of the Bulldogs. Friends were worried about him. They thought he was troubled with an ailing gall bladder, or something.

It was all traced to worry. And today, while he doesn't have as much physical discomfort, he still does a fair job of not sleeping. It's his nature to worry, however, and so long as he coaches he'll battle insomnia.

One of the better stories they tell about Butts is the time Henry (Red) Sanders, Vandy coach, asked him what defense he favored.

"Amongst 'em," Butts replied, walking away.

Ears Whitworth, line coach, was standing near-by and Sanders asked him what Wally meant.

"Well, we tell those boys that yonder is the opposing backfield, and to get in there amongst 'em," Whittie replied.

Georgia's an exacting school. No getting around it. The alumni can't object to any such reference, either. It's the whole truth and nothing but the truth.

So Butts can't be blamed for being serious. Coaching at Georgia is a serious business. Nothing succeeds except success.

And even then there are some critics who never admit they were wrong in the beginning. They keep on keeping on.

But a nice thing about Wally Butts is that, while he worries about his team, he never lets alumni get him down. He simply does a good job and lets it go at that.

In Short Next Tuesday night at 9:30, John Fulton, of WGST, will present a watch to Frank Sinkwich in behalf of Kate Smith. Sinkwich recently was selected on Miss Smith's All-America team. Fulton called yesterday and said, "How about joining us on the 15-minute program? I'll give him the case and you give him the works."

R. J. Finley, of The Constitution, has three cousins playing center in football. Cousin Fred Holder is captain of Vanderbilt. Cousin James Bradshaw is the regular pivot man for Auburn, and Cousin Charles Bradshaw, of Lanier High, is going to Auburn as a snapper-back. To add to this unique situation, Mr. Finley played center for Shelby High, of Columbiana, Ala., and for Howard College. That's putting a family in the middle.

According to the National Golf Foundation's Ed Morris, the royal and ancient pastime will supply to defense funds a minimum of \$30,000,000 in taxes and club expenses in 1942. Seeing an increase in play, Morris figures defense will be further aided by the fact of defense bonds being given as prizes in many cases. Morris numbers 2,351,000 among American golfing enthusiasts.

It is more than barely possible, however, that golf balls will be at a premium by midsummer. It may not be a bad idea to lay in a supply now.

Pelicans Acquire Charlie Brumbeelow

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 19. (AP)—The New Orleans Pelicans today announced Pitcher Charlie Brumbeelow had been obtained on option from Columbus, Ohio. Brumbeelow, an Atlanta sandlotter, was signed by Cardinal Scout Tubby Walton and assigned to Columbus, Ga., in 1938. Last season he played with Rochester, N. Y., and Columbus.

Cub First Sacker Granted Divorce

CHICAGO, Dec. 19. (AP)—Ellsworth "Babe" Dahlgren, first baseman for the Chicago Cubs baseball team, was granted a divorce in superior court today on the grounds that his wife, Josephine, deserted him on November 1, 1940. The couple were married at Gainesville, Cal., on September 30, 1932.

'We'll Be Okay Again,' Opines Veteran Leader

I Have Faith in My Country, Trust in People,' He Says.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 19. (AP)—If you're worried about what the war's going to do to major league baseball, come around and talk to Connie Mack.

Connie's life began before the Civil War ended. Since then the oldest manager in the business has watched baseball survive two other wars and said he today:

"I have faith in my country and trust in our people and we'll be all right again."

"Maybe this will be a long war and maybe it will end overnight the way the others did. But nothing ventured, nothing gained. I've faced other years with better teams than I have now and worried a lot more."

Even as he spoke, word arrived from El Paso, Tex., that one of the Athletics' pitchers, Burkh Johnson, had enlisted in the Navy. Four other players, Sam Chapman, Al Brancato, Don Richmond and Porter Vaughan, already had joined the colors.

Connie, who'll be 79 next Tuesday, was three when the Civil War ended.

When the Spanish-American conflict broke out in 1898, he was a 36-year-old manager at Milwaukee, in the old Western League that eventually became the American League and brought him to Philadelphia.

"That wasn't much of a war," Connie recalled, "but baseball suffered pretty badly through it. People couldn't get news of the war as easily as they can now. The newspapers had bulletin boards in front of their offices and the people would stand all afternoon waiting to read the latest news. When word came of Dewey's victory at Manila Bay the whole country went wild."

"After that war baseball quickly recovered. We were caught short in Milwaukee. We hadn't gone ahead with improvements during the war we should have. But Bill Johnson, who was president of the Western League, thought up an idea that helped us all. That was getting four eastern cities to join the league. That's how the American League came to Philadelphia. I got the franchise, left Milwaukee and came here to stay."

In the period following the last World War, Connie went on, the great American sport again slumped.

"But," he added, "it wasn't long before Babe Ruth came along. Then came the rabbit ball and wholesale home runs, immense parks and crowds of 50,000. That's when baseball really became an important part of our national life."

Bowling

Sixty-one entries have been received for the Defense Bond contest, scheduled tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the downtown alleys. Five games will be bowled on a handicap basis, with separate prizes being awarded both men and women. Entries will be accepted up to the time bowling actually starts.

A guaranteed first prize of a \$25 Defense Bond will be awarded the high scorer in each the men's and women's division and many other prizes will be added according to the number of entrants. Entry fee is only \$1.75 per person, which includes the cost of bowling.

Cain, of Haas & Dodd, topped the Realtors in their weekly matches, with a fine set of 345. His games were 129, 109 and 161. Other high games were by Blanchard, 118; Gann, 116; Prickett, 123, and Teepell had a set of 314. The league-leading Sharp & Bolston team ran into a snag and dropped two games to the fourth-place Atlanta Title & Trust Company team; the second-place Rankin-Whitten team won two from Haas & Dodd and pulled up to within one game of first place.

Miller Motor Express took undisputed possession of first place in the big 12-team Motor Carriers' League and now have won six consecutive games. Williams, of the Flamingo Reds, won high game honors with a fine game of 134 and Steve Bryan, of Georgia Motors Express No. 1 team took high-set honors with a 338 for three games.

In the Sinclair Refining League, the P. D. team won two games from Hy-Vis and went again into a tie for the league leadership with Pennsylvania, who dropped two to Pennant. Holbrook, of the P. D. team, threw in a big set of 380, which included games of 123, 130 and 127, to far outshine his fellow bowlers. Moon had 334, as did Leslie, for other good sets in this league.

T. C. U. Iron Man. Ronnie Brumbaugh, senior end, is the only man on the T. C. U. Horned Frog squad who has played in every game during the last three seasons—1939, '40 and '41.

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ALL-SOUTHWEST GUARD—Captain Bill Crawford, Texas Christian guard, made the first all-conference selection of the United Press, as well as various teams picked by individual Southwest sportswriters. Hampered much of the season with a shoulder injury, the 191-pound Crawford has still managed to turn in some of the finest guard performances that the Southwest has ever seen. He is a senior whose home is in Fort Worth.

American Leaguers Tie Or Smash 37 Records

DiMaggio Hitting Streak Most Notable Performance; Yanks Make Many Marks Obsolete.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19. (AP)—Thirty-seven baseball records will need touching in the American League statistics book for 1942.

The New York Yankees contributed several notable marks in the recent season. There was Joe DiMaggio's unparalleled run of hits in 65 consecutive games, and also his blast of three doubles and a home run against Detroit July 20 to tie a league mark.

The New Yorkers hit at least one home run a game for 25 straight contests for another mark, or more runs, tying the late Lou Gehrig's major league mark. Foxx, also struck out 103 times, adding a new record to his major league record of leading the loop in strikeouts.

Connie Mack, of Philadelphia, completed his 41st year as a manager, adding to his own record. Clint Brown, of Cleveland, increased his consecutive relief games mark to 213.

And on the odd side: Alton Benton, of Detroit, sacrificed twice in one inning on August 6 against Cleveland—the first time such a feat has ever been achieved.



Druid Hills Cagers Split With Russell

Druid Hills and Russell High basketball teams split a double-header last night, with the Druid Hills girls besting the Wildcats, 25 to 11, and the East Point boys shading the North Siders, 18 to 15.

Lambert, with eight points, and Olson, with six, paced the winning Druid Hills sextet, while Wise flipped in four for Russell. Gross, with seven points, was high man for the Wildcats in his team's victory. Clark and Harrington clicked for four points each for the losers.



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1937 OLDSMOBILE coach, w. s. w. tires, seat covers. Cost \$295. RA. 3786.

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1937 STUDEBAKER 4-door touring sedan, original finish, good tires. \$195.

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1941 STUDEBAKER Commander 4-door, 4-door, 4-door, 4-door, 4-door, 4-door, looking. \$795.50. Hali Motors, WA. 2283.

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1941 WILLYS American; perfect condition: \$495. Terms, WA. 9135.

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34 International, 1-ton, \$125.

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FIRST-AID CLASS

MONROE, Ga., Dec. 19.—(P)

Senator Brown, Democrat, Michi-

gan, told the senate today the price administration was giving

consideration to raising the price

ceiling on cottonseed oil.

He stated he had been in con-

ference with administration offi-

cials, and felt it safe to say that

a price would be fixed "on the

basis of" a figure of 12-3-4 cents

a pound. The present ceiling is

11-1-4 cents.

Ceiling May Be Raised

On Cottonseed Oil

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—(P)

The Bureau of Mines reported to-day that the Portland cement in-

dustry in November produced 14,391,000 barrels, shipped 13,724,000

from mills and had 17,824,000 in

stock at the end of the month.

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LaGuardia Decries Lack of Air Raid Protection for Civilians

People, Solons
Apathetic, Says
OCD Director

Widespread Training
Program for Workers
To Be Launched.

By LEE CARSON.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—(INS) Director Mayor LaGuardia tonight announced that the office of Civilian Defense will immediately become a "quasi-military mission to afford the maximum protection against destruction of life and property."

"We are dropping all recreational, welfare, health and other extraneous activities," the mayor said at a special press conference, "and will work exclusively on the protection of American people and property."

Battalions of air raid wardens, firefighters, Medical Corps and public utility repairmen are entering training under the direction of Army experts for active 24-hour duty, immediately, the mayor revealed.

No More Practice.

The mechanical problems of air raid warning devices, LaGuardia stated, have been many but from "now on" no air raid sirens throughout the country will be sounded without orders from the Army. Practice soundings will continue during the search for devices practical to each community and locale with previous and specific announcement.

Charging that both the public and congress have "been apathetic, if not downright sarcastic" about civilian defense, LaGuardia said that the organization now found itself "completely without equipment." Both the Bureau of the Budget and congress have been informed of the urgent need of appropriations to place orders for life-protecting equipment, he said.

At least 50,000 new gas masks in sizes ranging from "baby protectors" through "Mickey Mouse masks" (for young children) to adult sizes would be needed to protect those living in coast zones liable to attack. LaGuardia stated.

Each Costs \$3.75.

These masks costing an average of \$3.75 each, the mayor said, "should be given to these people in coastal areas" if the Army carries through on its present opinion.

NOTICE

The Commissioners of Roads and Revenue of Fulton County, Georgia, are calling for bids for a contract for the supply of civilian defense gas masks in the county outside of the incorporated limits of the various cities and municipalities in Fulton County. The contract will be for a one-year period beginning January 1, 1942, and expiring December 31, 1942.

All bids must be presented to the Clerk of the County Commissioners at 515 Courthouse, Atlanta, Georgia.

FRANK R. FLING, Clerk.

Commissioners Roads and Revenues, Fulton County, Georgia.

WAR DEPARTMENT, Office of District Supervisor, Atlanta, Georgia. Date of first publication, December 6, 1941. Notice is hereby given that on November 19, 1941, one 1938 Ford Coupe, Motor No. 18-2832290, was seized in Fulton County, Georgia, for violation of the Internal Revenue Code, to-wit: Section 3221, United States Internal Revenue Code. Any person claiming an interest in said property must appear at the office of the Investigator in Charge, Alcohol Tax Unit, 508 Ten Forsyth St., Building Atlanta, Georgia, and file claim and cost bond as provided by Section 3724, United States Internal Revenue Code, on or before January 1, 1942; otherwise the property will be disposed of according to law. W. D. Hearington, District Supervisor.

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DAYLIGHT BLACKOUT—Dense smoke from the steel furnaces and from a score of locomotives rolled over the Gary (Ind.) industrial area Thursday in a new type of

Defense Group Promises State To Be Divided 'All' Protection Into Six Groups

State Auditor Thrasher Says 'More Than Hot Air' Is Needed.

that the precaution is necessary.

After congressional authorization and appropriation, OCD will immediately place orders for the gas masks, steel helmets to protect air-raid wardens and other workers exposed to fire during attack, fire fighting and other vitally needed equipment.

"But there is nothing to do but wait for legislation," the Manhattan mayor sighed. "When we get the appropriation we must then place the orders, then wait."

This will require some time. If I had the money in my hands now I wouldn't be able to get the stuff inside of months—six months."

The days of public apathy to self-defense against sudden death, LaGuardia said, are all over. "Modern warfare strikes without warning and at any time, any place. The situation on the west coast, for example, changed over night."

Warms of Panic.

Stating the worst enemy to community well-being and safety was panic, the mayor stressed the need for "full and complete co-operation from state and municipal governments and from all citizens." Rules, regulations and directions must be followed to the letter, the OCD director continued, to avoid destructive confusion, "jitters" and the wild fear that "kills more people than bombs."

The possibility of "regular night blakouts" in coastal cities, industrial centers and towns, the mayor said rested with the military authorities. The difference between an air-raid warning and a blackout must be "pounded home," scowled Mr. LaGuardia.

During an air-raid, everything—every bit of activity must stop. During a blackout normal activity, industry—everything—must continue under blackout conditions. The people must be trained and geared to living and working normally in blackout areas."

The main difficulty encountered in unscrambling civilian defense the mayor said was due to the "absolute confidence and belief that there is no need for doing anything about civilian defense."

Training Offered To Physically Unfit

Physically handicapped Georgians unfit for combat service need not worry about an opportunity to do their part in the war.

Swinging into full operation now is the Department of Education's program of industrial training for men rejected by draft boards because of physical deficiency.

The work is carried on by the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation, headed by Paul Barrett. He said some 1,600 men already had been referred to the division by draft officials for training. Some men are placed in trade schools and others go to work in plants which are paid by the state for the training they provide.

Sugar Control Measure Is Sent to White House

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—(AP)—Congress passed today and sent to the White House a sugar control bill whose sponsors estimated it would increase benefit payments to producers by \$10,000.

The bill would extend quota and processing tax provisions of the 1937 sugar act for three years to December 31, 1944. Basic benefit payments would be increased one-third—from 60 to 80 cents a hundredweight—and extended to Virgin Island producers. In addition the measure embodies child labor regulations hitherto contained in separate legislation.

Senator O'Mahoney, Democratic of Wyoming, author of the measure, estimated that benefit payments under it would amount to \$59,000,000 annually instead of the present \$49,000,000.

Defense Corps To Be Divided Into Six Groups

Battalions' Services Will Be Prorated Over Various Areas.

A minutely organized, fully functioning state civilian defense body, reaching into every county and setting up protective measures against air raids or other warlike assaults, was promised by late Tuesday in a declaration yesterday of the State Defense Commission.

Taking cognizance of sharp dissatisfaction with events to date, expressed by State Auditor B. E. Thrasher Jr., who declared "something more than hot air" is needed, the committee's spokesman, Vice Chairman Charles A. Collier, revealed how far organization had gone.

He would not reply directly to the Thrasher statement, but said:

Meeting Set Tuesday.

"The full executive committee, representing every section of the state, will meet Tuesday. They will give the firm authority to the comprehensive plan covering the state. Then that plan will be submitted to the Governor for his final approval. When this is given, the preliminaries will be at an end and the program launched."

Thrasher declared he would not release funds for civilian defense, but added:

"This does not apply in any way whatsoever to the State Defense Corps. Those fellows began actual guard duty, relieving Army combat troops, the minute war came. They already are functioning and 'going to town.' Their financial requirements will be met."

Francis Shurling, liaison officer between the federal and state governments, declared:

"The Georgia State Defense Corps has been the most active and efficient, without any question, in the entire United States. It has been doing excellent service since the moment it first was called upon."

Of the civilian set-up, however, Auditor Thrasher declared:

"I would want to see a definite plan of work before meeting any financial demands. My understanding is that the funds are to be utilized to protect the people of Georgia, and I hope that some concrete steps for civilian defense will be taken quickly so that we can spend the money."

His statement was made in connection with an effort of the State Planning Board, which the Governor merged with the State Defense Committee headed by Hughes Spalding, to transfer Colonel Richard Job from the Planning Board pay roll to the Defense Committee pay roll.

Colonel Job's Duties.

Colonel Job, the director of the Planning Board, is acting executive director of the State Defense Council and the State Defense Committee and devoting his entire time to those duties.

Auditor Thrasher made it clear that Colonel Job, whom he described as "a very able executive doing an excellent service for his country," would continue to draw his pay uninterrupted.

Vice Chairman Collier said the State Defense Committee had not sought any funds, and would not seek any until its organization is completed, authorized and functioning.

Thrasher is custodian of the \$50,000 defense fund set up by the Governor immediately after war was declared.

Scaling up of Georgia civilian defense had to deal with cases of aliens recently rounded up will be discussed with Department of Justice officials in Washington to-day by Attorney General Ellis Arnall. He was in the national capital yesterday on state defense matters.

U. S. To Take Control of State Work Agencies

Move Designed To Speed Job of Recruiting Employees.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—(P)—To speed up the recruiting of workers for expanding war industries, President Roosevelt moved today to have the United States Employment Service today to take over the 50 state and territorial employment offices.

The President sent telegraphic requests to the Governors of the states and territories to direct that personnel, records and facilities be transferred to the federal government, which has been co-ordinating the operations of the state and territorial employment services all along and paying most of their expenses.

"Now that the country is actually at war," Mr. Roosevelt wired, "it is more than ever necessary that we utilize to the fullest possible extent all of the manpower and womanpower of this country to increase our production of war materials. This can only be accomplished by centralizing recruiting work into one agency."

Fiscal Needs.

Mr. Roosevelt told a press conference today that a committee of the Governors' Conference and the Council of State Governments had transmitted to him a statement outlining a need for, national, state and local fiscal action to combat inflation, expand defense production and prepare the way for readjustments after the war.

They submitted a six-point

proposal to:

Give priority to activities that will best promote defense; postpone nondefense public works; maintain public facilities in order; start drafting postwar programs of useful public works; retire debt or accumulative cash reserves so that the postwar readjustment may be financed, and safeguard the services and preserve the institutions of a free democracy.

Pledge Aid.

Later in the day Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd brought to the White House a statement signed by 47 Governors as well as labor, business, farm and other leaders, pledging assistance during the war crisis.

Byrd, who was active in organizing the group which prepared the statement, told reporters that Governor Heil, of Wisconsin, could not be reached but that all the other Governors had signed the statement along with William Green, president of the AFL; Philip Murray, CIO president; William P. Withrow, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, and other heads of national organizations.

NAVY YARD GUARDS.
CHARLESTON, S. C., Dec. 19.—(P)—The Charleston Navy Yard guard forces are being doubled due to the war, officers said in announcing Civil Service examinations for the job, which pays \$1,500 a year.

Under the plan, large wards may demand more than one unit, or the unit must be so large that a central command may not be able to keep in constant contact with it. This was regarded as especially true of the third, fourth, fifth and sixth wards, in which

residential districts are spread over a large area.

Meanwhile, trained instructors from the police and fire departments prepared to begin Monday schools to train instructors to teach fire and police auxiliaries.

Defense Training Slated in Schools

County School Superintendent Jere A. Wells yesterday announced formation of a Junior Defense Corps of volunteers from military units in the Fulton county high school system.

The corps will be limited to students above 15 years of age and will be under the direction of male faculty members.

The youngsters will be trained

as ways they can co-operate with police and fire departments and other defense units.

The War Department notified

Representative Green, Democrat, Florida, that as many planes as could be spared would circle over the city during the hour of memorial service. Some unidentified officials will be in the church as representatives of the Army, Green said.

Captain Kelly lost his life in a bombing attack which was credited officially with the sinking of the Japanese battleship Haruna.

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